

## LOSES LIFE IN RIVER AT ROCKFORD

VICTIM WAS ONE OF THE POOR CHILDREN SENT OUT FROM CHICAGO.

## BROTHER TRIES TO RESCUE HIM

Nearly Loses Life In Attempt—Party Sent Out by the Bureau of Charities.

Rockford, Ill., July 2.—James Scanlon, one of the group of children sent out by the bureau of charities of the University of Chicago, was drowned in the Kishwaukee river near here yesterday and his brother Daniel almost sacrificed his life in an endeavor to save him. But for the timely arrival of J. W. Wheeler, who has charge of the camp, Daniel would have been drowned.

This was the first day of the outing and the camp had just been established when a bath was suggested by the boys. They were advised not to get into the water over their heads. The Scanlon boys led the way into the water, James venturing out further than Daniel. Neither could swim and a few minutes afterward James was heard to cry for help. As he was seen to go down the first time all the boys save Daniel rushed to the shore in terror. He, however, caught him about the waist just as he was going down the second time. As he clutched James the two went down together.

In the meantime those who had gone to the shore informed Mr. Wheeler, who hastened to the aid of Daniel and succeeded in rescuing him just as he was going down the third time. After working over him for some time Daniel was resuscitated.

The body of the drowned boy was found near where he had gone down. Efforts which were made to revive him were unavailing. Coroner Marsh from Rockford, held an inquest and rendered a verdict of accidental drowning. The body was brought to this city and prepared for burial after which it was shipped to Berwyn, where the boys' parents live.

## WOODMEN HAVE A BALL CLUB

MEMBERS WANT TO MEET CLUBS OF OTHER FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.

Camp 56, M. W. A., has organized a baseball club under the management at the present time of Waldo Ward, 1911 West First street. The team is made up entirely of members of the camp and expects to play good, clean ball, devoid of all those disagreeable features which too often bring our game into disfavor with the better class of people.

They desire to hear from all clubs wishing good, clean games, especially from the fraternal societies having ball teams.

On August 20th at the great Woodmen picnic at Central park, they will be pitted against one of the fastest teams in the three counties. Lee, Whiteside and Ogle.

## FIRE HOSE WAS TESTED TODAY

CITY DEPARTMENT HAS 2,400 FEET WHICH STANDS THE SERVICE TEST.

The Dixon Fire Department is equipped with 2,400 feet of good, serviceable hose, which can be depended upon in case of a bad fire. The test of all the hose on hand was made Monday and today, and the result, as announced above, is very satisfactory to the members of the department.

Of the 2,400 feet which passed the test 1,900 feet stood a pressure of 160 lbs. to the square inch, and the remaining 500 feet, which is kept in the Dementtown station, passed a test of 140 pounds. 1000 feet of the best hose is kept on the fire patrol and the rest is wound on the reel truck at the fire hall in such shape that it can be taken out at a moment's notice.

## TO PRINT THE ASSESSMENT LIST

PAPERS OF THE COUNTY WILL PUBLISH LIST BEFORE JULY 10TH.

County Treasurer John M. Sterling and his assistants completed the assessment list Monday forenoon. The list will be published on or before the 10th day of July. Every newspaper in the county will get its share of the list to publish. The list given to each paper is as follows:

Dixon Evening Telegraph—Dixon township.  
Dixon Daily Star—Palmyra, Nelson, South Dixon, Nachusa, Harmon, Hamilton and Alto.  
Amboy News—Marion, East Grove, May, Sublette and Lee Center.  
Amboy Journal—Amboy township.  
Franklin Grove Reporter—China and Bradford.  
Ashton Gazette—Ashton and Reynolds.  
Lee County Times—Wyoming, Wilcox Creek, Viola and Brooklyn.

## WORK OF THE PROBATE COURT

ACTION IN SETTLEMENT OF ESTATES BEFORE COUNTY JUDGE SCOTT.

What the docket of the probate court shows up to date:  
Estate of Charles G. Kittleson. Inventory approved. Widow's relinquishment and selection approved. Claim day set for first Monday in September, 1907.  
Estate of George Mills. Certificate of publication and affidavit of posting notice of claim day approved.  
Guardianship of Michael P. Fleming et al. Petition for an order to pay claims. Hearing on said petition. Testimony taken and it is ordered that the guardian pay to said petitioners the sum set forth in said petition out of the fund in his hands as such guardian.

## BAND MAY PLAY ON THE FOURTH

SUBSCRIPTION PAPER FOR THIS PURPOSE IS CIRCULATED AMONG MERCHANTS.

It is quite likely that the Dixon Marine band will furnish music about the city of Dixon Thursday. A subscription paper, which is being liberally signed by the merchants to whom it has been submitted, was started this morning by the Dixon Marine Band association. The subscription is to raise sufficient funds to keep the band in town, and late this afternoon the success of the project seemed apparent. Such a move is a good thing, for a Fourth of July without at least a little band music would be a dead proposition.

## NUISANCE CLAIMS ATTENTION

SMOKE MAKERS ARE CAUTIONED THAT TROUBLE MAY BE AWAITING THEM.

Editor Telegraph:  
Some days ago I noticed a small item in one of the daily papers in reference to a complaint, by the residents of Bluff Park, because of a daily fall of a large amount of soot from the tall stack of one of our industrial concerns near by. This soot covers the lawns and residences, finding its way into the interior of our houses to such an extent that it has become already unendurable. We have found smoke wafted to us from different parts of the city before, but never complained until now. We do not propose to submit to such extent that we shall allow the interior of our homes to compare favorably with that of the tall stack causing the mischief, and if there is no city ordinance to which we can turn for relief, we will promptly take the matter into court. We trust that a word of warning is sufficient to bring about a cessation of the damage that is being done.

"RESIDENT."

John Wohnke and brother Glenn went to Chicago this morning.  
Miss Hattie Cook and sister, Mrs. Evelyn McDermon, will spend the Fourth in Sterling the guests of Mrs. Josh Coleman.

## TO COMBAT THE MAIL ORDER HOUSES

LOCAL MERCHANTS WILL REFUSE FAVORS TO PATRONS OF MAIL HOUSES.

## WILL GATHER NAMES OF PATRONS

Home Merchants Obligated to Carry Accounts While Big Houses Get the Cash.

Dixon merchants are considering a plan to discourage mail order trade by the people of this city, which is apparently about the nearest thing to a solution of this menace to the prosperity of the city of anything that has been proposed.

The plan, which it is expected will be tried out in this city before many days, is to virtually boycott the local patrons of the mail order houses, in the line of favors. The dealers in this city say that there are many people in Dixon who, when they want credit, buy at home and who, when they have money, send to one of the many "get your money" concerns about the country.

### To Keep a List.

The plan, as outlined by a local merchant this afternoon, is to have men watch the incoming freight at both depots every morning and to register the name of every person to whom a package from one of the mail order houses is consigned. Each day these names will be reported to the secretary of the local merchants' association and he in turn will have it typewritten on lists which are sent to every local merchant.

The merchants, supplied with these names will, because of their membership in the association and their desire to produce home trade, decline to give any favors to those who have bought from the out of town houses. In this way, the patrons of the foreign concerns will be forced to look for credit to the men with whom they spend their money. The mail order houses don't give credit.

### Will Try It Here.

The merchant who gave the outline of the plan, stated emphatically that this theory was not to end with the telling, but will be given a thorough trial in this city, and he implied that those who have been in the habit of patronizing the "catch sucker" houses would receive no warning until they were turned down at the local stores.

## TWO INSANE CASES TRIED TODAY

MRS. GILMAN ADJUDGED INSANE AND MISS FOGERTY IS DECLARED SANE.

There were two insane cases in the county court today. Mrs. Marcy W. Gilman of Nachusa township was adjudged insane by a jury this forenoon, and this afternoon the unfortunate woman was taken to Watertown for treatment by her husband and son. Mrs. Gilman is about 78 years of age.

Miss Anna Fogerty of Amboy was tried for her sanity this afternoon and the jury after being out not over fifteen minutes, declared the patient sane. Attorney William L. Leech was appointed by the court to defend Miss Fogerty.

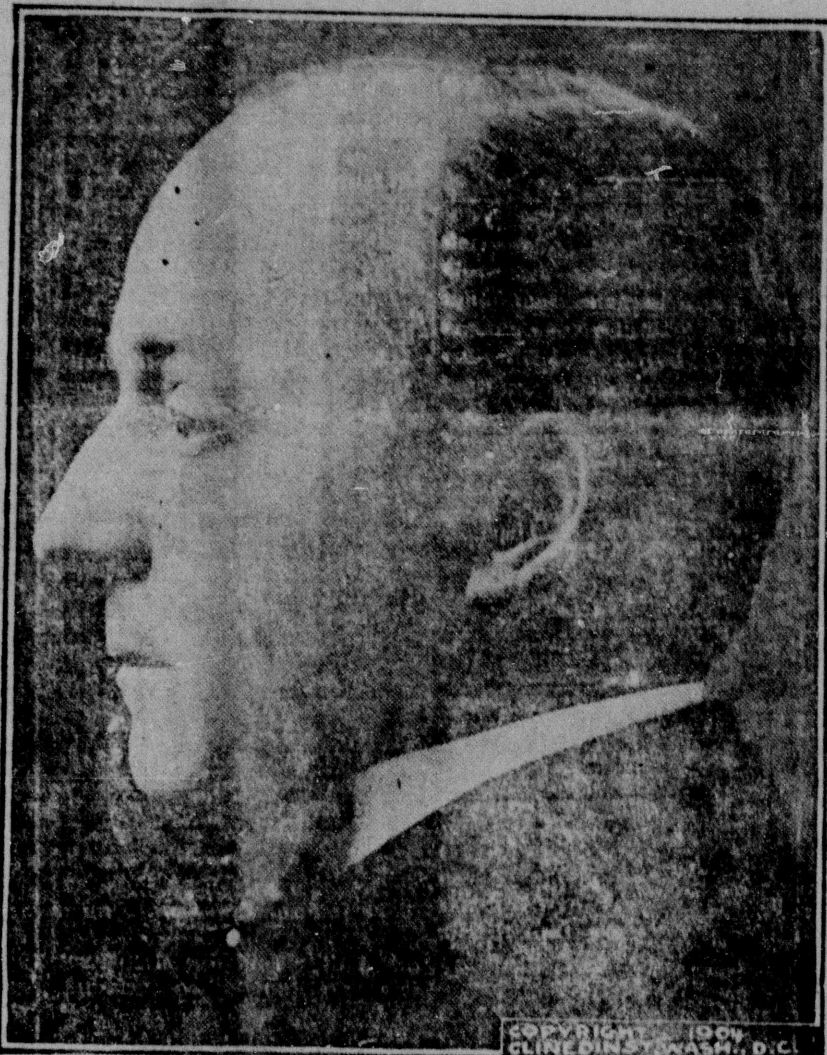
Father Gallagher and a number of other people were here from Amboy as witnesses in the case. Assistant States Attorney Harry Edwards appeared for the state.

## A NEW TEACHER FOR NORTH DIXON SCHOOL

The position of teacher of science and mathematics in North Dixon high school was last evening tendered to Miss Estella Rinehart of Forrester, Ill. A graduate of Northwestern University with the B. S. degree, Miss Rinehart comes to us thoroughly well recommended and with a record of splendid attainment and a year's successful experience in teaching.

### Branegan Case Continued.

The case of Noble vs. Branegan, which was called in Justice Crabtree's court Monday afternoon on a change of venue from Justice Kellar's court, was continued until July 10th.



PHILANDER C. KNOX, PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE.

Philander C. Knox, who has been endorsed for the presidential nomination by the Republican state convention of Pennsylvania, is a descendant of the famous General Henry Knox of the Revolution. For three years he has been in the United States senate. Prior to that he was attorney general of the United States for three years. For many years Senator Knox was a leading lawyer of Pittsburg. His summer home is at Valley Forge, Pa., occupying part of the site of Washington's army camp during the winter of 1777-78.

## COLLEGE FINALS OCCUR TONIGHT

YOUNG PEOPLE WILL CLOSE THEIR WORK IN DIXON INSTITUTION.

## THE MUSIC CLASS ENTERTAINED

Excellent Program Was Given in the College Chapel Monday Evening For Large Audience.

This evening at the college chapel the final commencement exercises of the classes of 1907 will be held, and at this event the diplomas and degrees will be conferred upon those who have completed the courses of study of the institution. The program for this evening's entertainment, to which the public is invited, is as follows:

Invocation ..... Dr. C. C. McLean  
Piano Solo ..... Selected  
Miss Bessie P. Norton  
Reading, Charlot Race .....  
..... Lew Wallace  
Mr. Alvin Hedges  
Oration ..... The Voice of History  
W. L. Hoschouer  
Vocal Solo ..... Selected  
Prof. L. M. Hall  
Granting Diplomas and Conferring Degrees ..... F. E. Rice, Principal  
Song—God Be With You Till We Meet Again ..... Audience  
Benediction ..... Dr. S. S. Cryor  
The commencement of the Music department, held Monday evening, resulted in one of the most pleasing musicales ever given by a class in the school. Every number on the program, which was published in this paper last evening, was given with finish and style, and many compliments were heard from those of the audience which filled the chapel.

### Roses in Cake of Ice.

The Dixon Artificial Ice & Cold Storage company has on exhibition in the window of the Campbell & Son drug store, a huge cake of their own product in which have been frozen several branches from a rose bush on which many of the beautiful blossoms are in full bloom. The novelty has attracted considerable attention this afternoon.

### Smoke Case Delayed.

The case of the city of Dixon vs. Duffy, the proprietor of the Owl restaurant, will not be tried until after July 4, because City Attorney Watts will not have time to conduct the case before that time. Duffy is charged with violating the smoke ordinance.

## THE SIDEWALK COMMITTEE ACTS

INSPECTED NEW WALK AND DECIDED ON THE GRADE FOR MADISON AVENUE.

The councilmanic sidewalk committee, composed of Aldermen Bovey, Gaffney and Schmidt, together with Mayor Edwards and Aldermen Louis Stephan of the Third ward, inspected some sidewalks in the Third ward Monday afternoon and also decided the question of the grade for the permanent walk on Madison avenue. The sidewalk which was inspected and passed by the officials was that on the south side of Eleventh street, between Highland and Railroad avenues.

The grade for the proposed sidewalk on the west side of Madison avenue, between Seventh and Eighth streets, was also settled by the officers. For some time the grade for this walk has been the subject of a controversy between the city and the property owners abutting it. The grade as set by the city officials was, in the minds of the property owners, too high. They maintained that if the walk was put in at the line set by the city it would necessitate a fill being made in all of the lots. The matter was settled satisfactorily to all concerned on Monday afternoon.

## FELICE NAZZARRO WINS

THE AUTOMOBILE RACE  
Paris, July 2.—Special—Felice Nazzarro, Callan, today won the Grand Prix race at Dieppe in a Fiat Callan made automobile.

## ROCKEFELLER WILL APPEAR IN COURT

Chicago, July 2.—Special—It is reported today that John D. Rockefeller is weary of the struggle with the federal court and will accept service. Another report is that if he is not here Saturday a warrant will be issued for his arrest.

## DENEEN MAKES TWO APPOINTMENTS

Springfield, Ill., July 2.—Special—Governor Deneen today appointed A. Halley Jones of Robinson state pure food commissioner and Edgar T. Doris of Chicago state factory inspector.

Adam Johnson of Taylor, Ogle county, was here today on business.

Mrs. May Glick of Taylor, Ogle county, was a Dixon visitor today.

Miss Ethel Conner of Vinton, Ia., is a guest at the home of Mrs. Eugene Raymond. Miss Conner has returned from Galesburg, where she attended and recently graduated from Knox college. The first of this week she visited with her relatives, Herbert Conner and family at Amboy.

## FOURTH WILL BE SANE IN DIXON

NO ATTEMPT AT A CELEBRATION HAS BEEN STARTED HERE.

## FEW FIREWORKS HAVE BEEN SOLD

Ball Games, a Dance and Family Picnics the Only Things on the Program.

Howlers for a sane Fourth of July are very apt to have their wish gratified Thursday, for every indication is that the day will be the quietest independence day ever passed by the people of Dixon. There will be absolutely no celebration here. No effort of any kind was made to promote one and furthermore the lack of any doings is bewailed by no one but the small boy. There will be two rousing ball games between the Dixon Browns and the Peru Stars and a dance by the Middlers in the evening, and that's the program for the day.

This lassitude of patriotism, as some have chosen to call it, seems to have spread to the small boy, too. He isn't as anxious to load up with a lot of noisy firecrackers and bum toy pistols. Dealers in fireworks smile most sickly when you say it's going to be a "glorious Fourth." They can't see how, unless the kids get busy pretty soon and buy hard. They say the sales are alarmingly small and that tells the tale of how quiet the day is going to be.

During the past few years local physicians reported many cases of accidents because of premature celebrations. This year but one or two minor mishaps have been reported, and there are very few neighborhoods that are kept awake by loud and continuous shooting during the night.

So all aboard for a peaceful and restful Fourth. Go to the ball games and the dance in the evening, or go up the river and spend the day with nature.

### Mr. Atwood Sinking.

Orrin Atwood of College avenue is very low today.

Mrs. Herman Mehrings of North Crawford avenue, is seriously ill.

Miss Dorothy Stoddard stopped between trains to visit her cousin, Mrs. Frank Leake, on her way home from the east.

Dr. Smith, dentist, and wife will spend a few days visiting in Chicago, returning to Dixon on Saturday morning.

Mrs. L. M. Dixon and son Paul will arrive from Springfield tomorrow for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Goodrich.

Mrs. E. T. Rogers and niece, Miss Hall, of Mt. Carroll, are spending the week with the former's aunt, Mrs. C. H. Keeler. While here Mr. Keeler is making a few days' urgent business trip to Chicago. Mrs. Rogers is the organist of the Baptist church in her home city.

## THE WEATHER

Chicago, July 2.—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Warmer in the extreme portion Wednesday.

### DIXON REPORT.

Latitude 40 degrees 46' North. Longitude 89 degrees 27' West.

Elevation 705 feet above sea level. The following report of high and low temperature and precipitation are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours:

| For the week commencing June 30th. |      |      |      |
|------------------------------------|------|------|------|
|                                    | Max. | Min. | Pre. |
| Sunday .....                       | 85   | 58   | —    |
| Monday .....                       | 95   | 60   | —    |
| Tuesday .....                      | 82   | 53   | —    |

### SUMMARY OF EVENTS

Tonight—  
Commencement—Dixon College.  
R. N. A.—Regular.  
K. of G.—Important.  
Carpenters & Joiners—Regular.

## ONE HUNDRED JOIN Y.M.C.A. LAST WEEK

NAMES WERE ACCEPTED AT THE BOARD MEETING ON MONDAY EVENING.

## LARGE MEMBERSHIP IN PROSPECT

Attractions and Advantages of New Building Appeal to Young Men of the City.

The Y. M. C. A. board met last evening and was served with supper in the club room by Secretary and Mrs. Kornhaus. Nine members of the board were present. One hundred new applications for membership in the association were received last week, and the same were accepted at last night's meeting. That was a splendid record for one week and if that keeps up for six or seven weeks the association will be one of the strongest in the state outside of the large cities. Secretary Kornhaus is well pleased with the bright prospects of the association.

The bills for the month were audited and allowed. The board decided that Secretary Kornhaus needed a vacation and granted him a leave of absence some time in August.

The rooms in the dormitory are being rented rapidly. Three gentlemen engaged rooms Monday. There are but a few of the choice ones left, and several of these will be taken this week.

### Sunday Meeting.

The Sunday afternoon meeting was largely attended. Rev. Peters, pastor of the Christian church, delivered the address. It was an address which went straight to the point along the line of association work. Mr. Elmer Rice sang a solo.

The association is planning to serve refreshments to the young men on each Saturday evening; the refreshments to consist of ice cream and lemonade. This will be one of the features which will be highly appreciated by the members.

## HORSE KILLED BY INTERURBAN

RUNNING LOOSE ON TRACK AND BELONGED TO S. WILSON OF PRAIRIEVILLE.

A horse owned by Stewart Wilson of Prairieville was killed by the west bound interurban car at 8:30 o'clock last evening at the crossing of the railway over the highway near the John Small residence at Prairieville. The horse killed was one of two which were running loose along the highway and the interurban right of way. They were haltered and had probably broken away. The car was in charge of Motorman Beeher, but Motorman Durr was at the controller, having been taken out on a student run.

The horses were frightened at the glare of the headlight as the car approached and started to run. The car was slowed down and the horses were apparently going to keep out of the way, when suddenly the one farthest away from the car crowded its mate onto the rails and the car struck it, killing it instantly.

## WHEAT CLOSED STRONGER TODAY

GRAIN MARKET WAS STEADY WITH NOTHING SENSATIONAL IN THE BIDDING.

There was nothing sensational in the trading of the exchange today, grain market being especially steady. Wheat advanced slowly and closed stronger than yesterday. The close:

| Wheat—     |          |          |  |
|------------|----------|----------|--|
|            | July 2   | July 1   |  |
| July ..... | 95 1/2   | 94 1/2   |  |
| Sept. .... | 99 1/2   | 98       |  |
| Dec. ....  | 1 02 1/2 | 1 00 1/2 |  |

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Charles Leech, wife and daughter are here from Kewanee visiting at the home of Attorney and Mrs. Wm. Leech.



# WANTS

Cook. Middle age. Call at once. Mrs. Frank Welch, Cor. First street and Ottawa avenue. 1553

First class cook, also dish washer at Huguet Hotel. 1533

30 loads of black dirt. Inquire of C. M. Cropsey. 1543

Stenographer and Bookkeeper, age 18 to 21; good habits required. Address "Stenographer," care Telegraph office. 1542

Girl for general housework. References required. Inquire of Mrs. Charles Crawford, 610 N. Galena avenue. 139tf

AN experienced and reliable man on the farm for the remainder of the season. Address D. E. M., care of the Telegraph. 136tf

Ladies and Gentlemen's clothes cleaned, dyed, pressed and repaired. Wool and cotton cloth shrunk by latest machinery. All work called for and delivered free. Home phone 1015. Office and works 108 First St., upstairs. E. S. Baker, Mgr., Royal Cleaners and Dyers. 130tf

Young Man to wait on table for his board. Also woman for second work. Hotel Bishop. 144tf

Someone to renovate feathers. If there is anyone in Dixon who does this work, leave word at this office. 149tf

Competent girl for general housework. Must be a good cook. Apply to Mrs. George Steele, 212 Ottawa avenue. 1w

**FOR RENT.**  
Furnished room, 316 Fifth street. 148tf

HOUSE and Barn known as the Lowery place, located at the Lowery quarry east of the city, near Cement works. Apply T. W. Fuller. 93tf

BY the week. Summer cottage north-east of city on river. All furnished and ready to move into. Dates are already being assigned. Apply T. W. Fuller. 93tf

FWO furnished rooms, all modern conveniences. Apply at 122 East Third street, or National Clothing house. 66tf

House. Enquire of Mrs. M. A. Noble, phone 752. 154tf

**FOR SALE.**  
Low wheel, rubber tire runabout, almost new, at reasonable price. E. C. Senneff, Rural 3. 1546

My Residence on Galena and Sixth street for sale, and other property. Inquire of F. L. Simpson. 107tf

A Lot in West Dixon. Bardwell's addition. Mrs. Eustace Shaw. 1f

1 rubber tire, top buggy; 1 runabout, 1 hand cultivator, 1 100-egg incubator and 1 5-piece parlor suite. All in first class condition. Can be seen at 1312 Peoria avenue. Mrs. J. W. Bennett, 512 Jackson avenue. 1496

**LOST.**

Watch fob with pearl eagle containing initials "F. O. E." Finder please leave at this office and receive reward. 1543

A tan rain coat. Return to this office or Miss Theresa Morse, Bluff Park. 1553

**Special Rates for Summer Term**

The Music department of Dixon college offers special rates in both vocal and instrumental music. Miss Bessie Pauline Norton of American Conservatory of Music, Chicago, will have charge of the piano department. Phone 1088. Prof. L. M. Hall, director. 1511

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RESTORES GRAY HAIR to its NATURAL COLOR.

Stops its falling out, and positively removes Dandruff. Keeps hair soft and glossy. Is not a dye. Guaranteed perfectly pure.

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50c. bottles, all druggists/  
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Rowling Bros., Corner Drug Store  
Leake Bros. 111 First St.  
E. M. Bunnell Drug Co.

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD

Correct time of all passenger and freight trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers:

Corrected April 16.  
South Bound.

No.  
123 Southern Express 10:23 a. m.  
131 Decatur Express 4:00 p. m.  
191 Local Freight Train 9:45 a. m.  
133 Sunday Only 8:05 p. m.

North Bound.

No.  
132 Ft. Dodge 9:45 a. m.  
124 Local Mail 5:26 p. m.  
192 Local Freight 12:30 p. m.

\*Daily.

Other trains daily except Sunday

L. BACKUS.

Ticket Agent I. C. R. R.

## CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago  
4 3:25 a. m. daily 6:45 a. m.  
6 5:50 a. m. daily 8:30 a. m.  
6 6:19 a. m. daily 8:55 a. m.  
2 9:53 a. m. daily 12:30 p. m.  
18\* 7:19 a. m. ex Sun. 10:10 a. m.  
20 10:19 a. m. ex Sun. 1:30 p. m.  
14 3:55 p. m. ex Sun. 7:10 p. m.  
12 6:52 p. m. daily 9:35 p. m.  
8 4:15 p. m. Sunday 7:50 p. m.  
8 9:14 a. m. daily 11:59 a. m.

West Bound From Chicago.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon  
3 10:45 p. m. daily 1:59 a. m.  
27 Sunday only 12:01 p. m.  
13 7:00 a. m. ex Sun. 10:23 a. m.  
19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun. 3:44 p. m.  
17\* 4:00 p. m. ex Sun. 6:43 p. m.  
25 6:05 p. m. daily 8:54 p. m.  
11 9:25 a. m. daily 12:08 p. m.  
1 6:00 p. m. daily 8:38 p. m.  
7 10:01 p. m. daily 12:37 a. m.

\*Sterling passenger.

Passenger to Peoria.

801 daily ex Sun. lv. Dixon 7:45 a. m.

H. FLANNERY,

Agent.

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100 Men's fine Serge Coats at.....\$1.75  
Men's all wool Outing Suits.....\$5.00  
Men's fancy Suits.....\$4.75 to \$7.75  
Men's Black Suits.....\$5 to \$11  
Youths' Suits 14 to 20.....\$2.50 to \$7.50  
Men's Striped Overalls.....38c and 50c  
Men's Work Shirts.....25c to 50c  
Great Sale On White Shoes.

Ladies', all sizes.....35c to 95c  
Misses' 11 1/2 to 2.....55c to 85c  
Child's 8 to 11.....55c to 70c  
Child's 5 to 8.....45c to 60c  
Boys' Tennis Shoes.....45c and 50c  
Boys' Straw Hats.....3c, 10c and 15c  
Best Tubular Shoe Lace.....5c a doz

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## Illinois Central R.R.

## Notice to the Public in regard to Payment of Excess Fare on Train.

Under the enactment of the Illinois legislature providing for a two cent per mile maximum passenger rate, effective July 1st, 1907, the railroads are authorized to collect as follows when payment of fare is tendered on train:

"If any passenger shall have failed to purchase a ticket entitling him to carriage, a rate of three (3) cents a mile may be charged and collected."

This, therefore, is to advise that collection of excess will be strictly enforced in accordance with the above when payment of fare is tendered on train from a station at which ticket might have been purchased within a reasonable time before the departure of the train. To avoid payment of this excess the public is earnestly requested to purchase tickets before boarding train.

S. G. HATCH, G. P. A.  
A. H. HANSON, P. T. M.

## HEART TO HEART TALKS.

A Few Words on a Fragrant Subject For Dixon

Smoke?

Well, then, smoke a good cigar.

Smoke a Wadsworth Bros. Cigar.

A straight 5c cigar that has more real pleasure and enjoyment beneath its rich brown wrapper than the average "ten center."

Leading business and professional men all over the country have a box of Wadsworth Bros.' Cigars right at hand to treat their customers and friends. They would not do this unless the cigar was just what it is—all long Havana filler, burning evenly with a long, white ash.

Leake Bros. are the local agency for Wadsworth Bros.' Cigars, and say they never before had a cigar in their stock that gave such universal satisfaction. Try one and you will thank them for introducing it in Dixon.

## CLEANLY WOMAN.

Erroneously Thinks by Scouring Her

Scalp That She Cures Dandruff.

Cleanly woman has an erroneous idea that by scouring the scalp, which removes the dandruff scales, she is curing the dandruff. She may wash her scalp every day, and yet have dandruff as bad as ever. The only way in the world to cure dandruff is to kill the dandruff germ, and there is no hair preparation that will do that but Newb's Herpicide. It gets rid of the dandruff germ, and leaves the hair free to grow as healthy as Nature intended. Destroy the cause you remove the effect. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide. Send for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

Two sizes—50c and \$1.00.

Campbell & Son Drug Company.

Sole Agents.

Allen Fitch of Chicago will spend the Fourth with friends and relatives in Dixon.

George Howell has gone to Los Angeles, Cal., to see his sister, Mrs. Will Appleford, who is very ill.

Mrs. Will Leslie and three children went to Oregon yesterday for a couple of weeks' visit.

Miss Hannah Ort, who has been visiting her parents, has returned to Pennsylvania, where she is living with her grandmother.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness caused by Catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Pique Revived as a Frock Fabric.

Mustard Straw Hat.

Pique is again a smart summer fabric for tailored gowns. A particularly good model has a box plaited skirt and a box plaited blouse cut low in the neck and sleeveless. This waist is worn with a lingerie blouse.

Side by side with burnt straw effects, which are so popular this season, one sees a hat or two in actual mustard colored straw. It is not a pretty color, for the sickish, greenish tinge is most unattractive; but, on the



A COOKING APRON—5681.

other hand, one cannot deny that the mustard hat is extremely chic when trimmed with a big bow of black glace ribbon. A very dark brown trimming might be ventured upon, but black is the safest.

Persian belts to match the beaded pockets are among the most beautiful novelties designed to be worn with dressy frocks. These belts also reflect the porcelain effects of the widest latitude in the width of the middle, very narrow as well as very wide effects being worn. The first essential is that it must fit the figure perfectly, and then fancy can run all kinds of riot in the matter of materials and decorations.

The newest monogram for stationery is an inch and a half long, but very narrow. It is often stamped in three colors, of which green, gold and a rose color make a pretty combination.

Here are a really fascinating little apron and cap that can be slipped on over the frock when my little lady descends to the kitchen to make her favorite cake or confection. In the illustration they are made of white butcher's linen, but plaid and checked gingham are both good materials to use.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

## SARTORIAL NEWS.

Tourist Neck Ruching—Lingerie Waist

In Attractive Materials.

One of the most convenient things for the woman who travels extensively is the tourist neck ruching. It is white, crisp muslin ruching, which comes with or without a lace edging. It is done up in boxes containing six yards, which makes eighteen fresh ruchings, averaging about a cent apiece. These ruch



FOR THE SEA BATH—5673.

ings are particularly useful for the traveler who does not stop long enough at any one place to have collars and turnovers laundered.

Lingerie waists in unusually attractive styles are made of dotted swiss, crossbarred dimity and batiste. The collars and cuffs are trimmed with val lace. Elaborate waists are trimmed with val or cluny lace and insertion and hand embroidery.

Little loose Elton jackets in black peau de sole are seen a good deal and are simply trimmed with black braid, the sleeves full and three-quarter length. They are not elaborate.

The new tulle bows are the fluffiest, daintiest things imaginable. They are white at the center, but shade into a dark blue, brown, red or green at the edges. All white ones are nice for evening wear.

The Panama hat has taken a new lease of life since it has been converted into a picture affair.

Here is a bathing suit for the young girl to use at her morning dip. It is made of dark blue mohair, with trimmings of dotted pongee of the natural color, dotted with blue.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

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## SMELLED TO HEAVEN

That Was the Condition at New York City When Relief Was Promised.

## GARBAGE MEN GO BACK TO WORK

They Leave Their Case in the Hands of Mayor McClellan.

Limit Had Almost Been Reached and Foul Odors Were Wafted on Every Breeze—Guarantee of Protection Fails.

New York, July 2.—The strike of the city garbage collectors is over and the fears of a serious epidemic as the result of the conditions which have existed for the past week are at rest. A committee representing the striking drivers conferred with Mayor McClellan. He promised that if they would return to work he would take up their grievances. Later the committee announced that they had decided to send all the men back to work, trusting to the mayor's promise. It was also announced that the men will work overtime until the accumulation of garbage in the streets had been removed.

## Sufferers Were with the Strikers.

All day long the health department officials put forth their utmost efforts to gain some headway against the rapidly increasing accumulations in the streets. About 250 carts were in use, but men were hard to find and difficult to hold. Every cart was protected by police, and detachments of officers preceded the squads in which the carts were sent out, driving loafers off the street and out of the saloons, and doing all possible to prevent assaults on the drivers. Even on the east side, where the danger to health from the heaps of putrifying refuse was rapidly becoming very grave, hundreds of people hooped the drivers from the windows of tenements, and hurled missiles at them.

## Protection Had Been "Guaranteed."

Police Sergeant William Dugan was seriously injured by the explosion of what the police believe was a bomb while escorting two carts in One Hundred and Sixteenth street. The sergeant was blown several feet. He was taken to a hospital suffering from shock and lacerations. Several of the drivers were badly beaten by strike sympathizers before they could be rescued by the police.

## Conditions Almost Unbearable.

On the east side streets conditions were almost unbearable last night. The return of hot weather added to the seriousness of the situation. In places the heaps of garbage practically filled the streets, and traffic was interfered with. Attempts to dispose of the accumulations by burning were largely unsuccessful. But it is not alone the east side that suffers. The entire city is affected by odors. Even if the full force returns to work today it will require several days of hard labor before normal conditions are restored.

## ICE STRIKE SITUATION

Both Parties Claim the Better of the Fight So Far.

Danger of an ice famine in Greater New York due to the strike of the drivers employed by the American Ice company seems to have passed by reason of the activity of the independent dealers. Both the ice company and the drivers claim that they have the better of the situation. The strikers stated after a meeting that the foremen of all the company's stations and stables in Brooklyn had struck in sympathy with the drivers.

It was announced at the offices of the ice company that arrangements have been made to fill the places of all the drivers who have struck, and that if the old drivers did not report for duty by 3 a. m. today new men would be employed.

The return of warm weather accelerated the demand for ice, and the independent dealers did a thriving business. Many of the large consumers had no further complaint to make than that they were forced to use their own teams to haul their supplies.

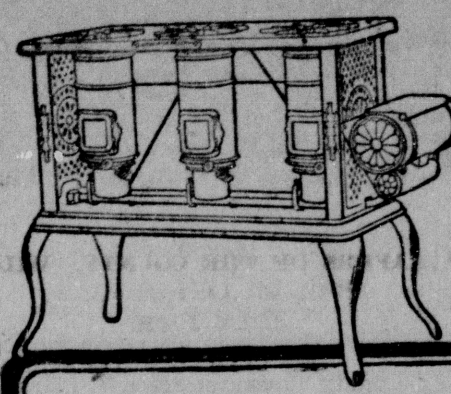
## JUST AS YOU PLEASE

These Opinions Will "Go" According to Where You Stand.

San Francisco, July 2.—"The strike is over," said Superintendent Storck, of the Postal Telegraph company. "The strike is over," said Manager O'Brien, of the Western Union office in the Ferry building. "The strike has just begun," said President Small, of the Commercial Telegraphers' union.

These three laconic statements adequately describe the attitude of the opposing parties and give a hint to their future action. Although the officials of both companies here in San Francisco are but subordinates and could not of their own volition take any steps toward a settlement it is not thought likely that any such steps will be taken while the local officials report that they are handling the business without unreasonable delay.

The operators, on the other hand, state that they will carry on the fight even though the companies find a man for every key. President Small prophesied that "lightning will strike soon in unexpected places," but did not explain his remark.



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# The Evening Story

For DIXON TELEGRAPH READERS

## The JEST THAT RECOILED.

By LOUISE J. STRONG.

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Ellison had sometimes imagined what "might have been" had Millicent Waring been other than the only child of a multimillionaire. What would have been, rather, for he would have encompassed heaven and earth to accomplish it, and in his inmost heart he had felt that the accomplishing would not have been difficult.

At times wild pictures had presented themselves of the possibility of the beastly money taking the proverbial wings, opening for him the gates to paradise, but in his saner moments he derided such fancies, for with Mr. Waring to the fore there was not the slightest probability of such an occurrence. Instead, he had arrived at a condition where the wings were a necessity to himself if he would retain a rag of self respect. This cherished self respect was suffering considerably now in the yielding that had brought him back, and he had sternly limited himself to a week, even while calculating how often he might contrive to see her in the time without too greatly transgressing convention.

He was hurrying to his hotel to make himself presentable for an immediate call when, as he whipped into the broad, main avenue, a slight presented itself at which he reeled as from a blow in the face. Leaning limply against a doorway he stared, muttering, "Impossible, impossible!"

His wildest imaginings had materialized before his eyes, but he scornfully rejected the suggested explanations of his reason, repeating again and again, "Impossible!"

He was unconscious of the passing throng and too deeply shocked and absorbed to feel surprise when a hand clapped him upon the shoulder and a hearty voice cried: "Hello, old man! When did you blow in?"

Ellison seized the speaker and drew him around the corner.

"Fred," he demanded, "is that Miss Millicent Waring? My eyes tell me so, but I cannot believe them."

"Sure, that's Miss Waring."

"But—but—good heavens! What's she doing in the confectionery shop?"

"Selling, same as other shopkeepers."

"But why? Of course I see she is selling, but why?" He shook the other vehemently.

"Necessity, I suppose, same as the other shopkeepers again," he grinned, winking at a newcomer over Ellison's shoulder.

"Necessity!" yelled Ellison. "You don't mean—you can't mean?"

"Better moderate your emotion, Ellison," the newcomer advised, indicating a bluecoat who was regarding them suspiciously.

"Of course, boys"—Ellison's voice was a murmur—"of course I know you can't mean that she is obliged to do it."

"Why not? Couldn't old man Waring come a financial cropper, same as thousands of others just as astute as he?"

"The world could come to an end," Ellison jeered, but his heart had set up a sudden pounding that dizzied him.

"Comes to an end every day, dear boy, for those money kings when their little card houses tumble. It's a new world for them and their families, too, after that."

"You bet!" exclaimed one of another couple of youths who had added themselves to the group. "Miss Waring is finding it a new world, all right."

Sundry sly winks and nods were exchanged by the four young fellows, acquaintances to whom Ellison had forgotten to give a greeting.

"Where's Mr. Waring?" he asked.

"Oh, he's around. He's plucky. He'll pull it off again some time, I reckon," one said, with a laugh.

"That's so," affirmed another. "But in the meantime there must be bread and butter."

"But wasn't there somebody—or something else for Miss Millicent?"

Fred Wilson interrupted Ellison's indignant outburst:

"Nothing but what she could do for prospective millions and one with nothing but expensive habits and passable beauty are two very different things," Stream asserted.

Stream turned a furious face upon him and half raised a clenched fist, then, mastering himself, he remarked, "I suppose that's the way the world sees it," and strode away.

The four rascals burst into exuberant delight, dipping each other in the ribs and chuckling hilariously as he disappeared down a side street.

Ellison had no coherent thought at first as he tore along. The knowledge that the barrier between them was removed dazed him. But soon he began to turn things over in his mind, to even consider the possibility of his own thousands, which had seemed puerile before, now serving as a foundation for a new beginning on which Mr. Waring might build. The other, the infinitely greater possibility of winning Millicent, he tried to keep in the background until a proper hour for its consideration.

Having at last adjusted himself somewhat to the new conditions, he felt that he could trust himself to see her. They shook hands quietly. There was little opportunity just then for words, but there was a humorous yet tender glint in her eyes as she occasionally glanced at his earnest, preoccupied face while she served a bunch of school children.

The four conspirators let her into the secret and departed to spread broadcast the jest, the prank upon Ellison, whose sentiment toward Miss Waring was an open secret. And presently, by twos and threes and in squads, her old friends and former associates began to saunter by. Some purchased of her with smirking patronage, some with a cold nod of recognition, while others passed with haughty, sneering oblivion of her. Some of the smart youths inclined to a familiarity that almost amounted to rudeness.

Ellison noted it all, his heart growing hotter until it burst all restraint.

"Miss Waring—Millicent!" he breathed with low intensity as they were alone for a moment. "I cannot bear this! It may be presumption—improper even, for me to speak here—I cannot help it! I am sure you have long known of my deep love for you, though you cannot realize how it is my very life and soul—I have had so little to offer, I felt I could not presume to ask you to give up for me your luxurious position, to—but I can provide you with a comfortable home, and my whole life shall be devoted to—"

His stammering speech was interrupted by the laughing, bubbling crowd of conspirators, eager to witness his discomfiture.

"Ha, ha! Look at him!" "Oh, the easy mark!" "Has he offered you his purse, Millicent?" "Ha, ha! The idea of Mr. Waring—" "Failed!" "As if!" "Ha, ha!"

Unheeding the swirl, Miss Waring calmly began counting money from the drawers and piling it in heaps upon the counter. "There," she said at last, "\$427.10. That means \$854.20 for the hospital from you fellows. You folks who dared me to do this promised to double the amount I took in, you know." She beamed at them sweetly.

"My hat! I never dreamed you'd pull in so much!" gasped Stream. "It's sure up to us, boys! But, oh, Ellison, sonny! Ellison—you—you—" He doubled with joy. "Your face pays for it all! See it now, don't you? Catch on to it? It was such a chance as comes once in a lifetime! Oh, my! Oh, my!"

Ellison perceived, and turned a blank, mortified face to apologize to Miss Waring, but she laid a gentle, restraining hand upon his arm and again addressed the gurgling, crowing crowd very sweetly, but distinctly, "I claim your congratulations upon my success as a saleslady, and"—(she blushed adorably, "and also upon my engagement to Mr. Ellison.")

### A Dangerous Secret.

Upon asking an eminent scientist how he accounted for enjoying exceptional and unbroken good health a doctor was informed that the cause was habitual self denial. "In fact," admitted the professor, "I only partake of one meal each day." "Hush!" exclaimed the physician in alarm. "Pray keep this to yourself! If many people were to follow your example we medical men should be ruined."—Westminster Gazette.

### His Little Scheme.

"You mortified me terribly," complained Mrs. Richley.

"How?" demanded her sick husband.

"Why did you tell the new doctor you were in the habit of eating corned beef and cabbage?"

"Well, I want him to fix his charges on a corned beef and cabbage basis."

### The Usual Cause.

"Ma, Sis is just home from the hair-dresser's, and she's in a tearing rage. What's wrecked her temper?"

"I'm not sure, but I rather think it was a head-on collision caused by a misplaced switch."—Baltimore American.

## FRIEDMAN'S LETTERS

Nothing Sensational in Those Read by the Defense in the Haywood Case.

### FEDERATION WAS SPIED UPON

Pinkertons Posted on What Was Going on in the Union.

Didn't Seem to See Anything That Was Criminal—Friedman Defends His Treason to His Employers as a Virtue.

Boise, Ida., July 2.—Morris Friedman, the young Russian stenographer who left the employ of the Pinkerton agency at Denver to write a book in which he published certain correspondence of the agency that passed through his hands, was again the principal figure at the Steuben murder trial. More than half of the court's day was occupied in reading to the jury copies of the documents which Friedman took from the Pinkerton records. They were chiefly the daily reports of secret agents operating as spies among the unions and union men at Cripple Creek, Victor, Globeville, Colorado City, Trinidad and Denver, and showed a complete surveillance of the Western Federation of Miners and the United Mine Workers of America during the labor troubles in Colorado in 1903-04. Pinkerton men sat in the Federation convention at Denver in 1904 reporting all proceedings.

### Reports Not Sensational.

None of the reports produced by Friedman and read to the jury by Durrow contained other than general references to the collateral issues of the trial, nor did they contain anything sensational, but they were offered in substantiation of the counter-claim of the defense that the Pinkerton agency conspired for the destruction of the Western Federation of Miners and the lives of its leaders. The prosecution offered no opposition to any feature of Friedman's testimony, and no objection to the introduction of any one of the documents that the defense obtained through him, and when Friedman was handed over for cross-examination it endeavored to ascertain if Friedman had any more reports or letters bearing on the general issue.

### Charged with Stealing Documents.

It attacked Friedman on the ground that he had played the Pinkertons false, had violated his pledge to them and had stolen the documents which he produced, but the witness would not admit that he had stolen the papers and would not allow Senator Borah to call him a "Pinkerton." He insisted that it was not stealing to take information that had been obtained by the fraud and deceit of secret service men, and declared that the public service which he performed in informing the people of the methods of the agency fully justified anything that he had done.

### BORAH WANTS MORE RECORDS

Chief Detective Accused—Witness Tells a Humorous Story.

He said that if he had known this trial was coming up he would have taken many more letters and reports. Senator Borah pressed him to tell just what records there were in the Pinkerton office at Denver bearing directly on this case, and while the witness said he could not tell him of any particular one he remembered many letters written by Detective McFarland in which all manner of crimes were laid at the door of the Western Federation of Miners.

Another interesting witness was Jas. I. Wallace, an attorney of Cripple Creek, who served with the militia first as a private and then as a lieutenant during the strike of 1903-04. He related several instances as tending to show the misuse of the power of the militia by the mine owners; gave the criminal records of some of the gun fighters imported by the mine owners; told of the working of the card system; recited the circumstances connected with the looting of the union stores and a newspaper office, and swore that he saw K. C. Sterling, chief detective for the mine owners, fire the first shot in the Victor riot the day of the independence station incident. He said, however, the shot was fired at a billboard.

M. E. White, an organizer for the Western Federation, was the last witness and brought the trial participants back to great good humor with the drollest kind of a tale of his arrest by the militia with all the pomp and ceremony of war times, the activities of the vermin in the bull pen, and his happy release by a brother Woodman of the World who commanded the militia.

Counsel for the defense said that they might succeed in finishing with all of their witnesses except Haywood and Moyer by the end of the week. Their plan is to reserve those two principals for the last. The defense has prepared its draft of instructions and the state is working up its rebuttal case, so that the end of the trial approaches.

Some of the testimony given in the reports was that A. G. Grattias, a Pinkerton, was so high in the Federation that he had charge of distributing relief to the strikers. He reports doing this so as to cause dissatisfaction among the strikers, which he would try to turn upon Haywood. J. N.

Londoner, another Pinkerton, told how the citizens demanded the resignation of Sheriff Robertson, owing to his Federation sympathies, and threatened to hang him otherwise. Londoner said an attempt was undoubtedly made to murder C. L. Hamlin, secretary of the Mine Owners' association, at Victor, Colo.

The soldiers fired into the union hall before there was any firing from the hall, but several hundred rifles, three barrels of ammunition and a stock of provisions were found in the hall. He also found photographs of two non-union men with crosses marked on the back, which he understood meant that they were to be murdered.

Letters from McFarland say that the Colorado authorities have done many things that are unconstitutional in dealing with the strikers. Friedman testified that the Mine Owners' association was not a client of the Pinkerton agency in 1903-04, so far as he knew, but that individual mine owners employed detectives.

### SCHOLARSHIPS FOR NURSES

Philadelphia School Offers Two Years of Free Training—Object of the Benefaction.

Philadelphia, July 2.—Special provision has been made by the Philadelphia School for Nurses for taking a large number of young women into the school and giving them two years' free training in nursing. The object of these providing the funds for this purpose is to carry hospital benefits to all parts of the country. The scholarships are available for young women in every state. Preference, however, is given to young women from the smaller towns and rural districts, where there is an absence of hospital facilities.

The student is provided with room, board, laundry, nurse uniforms and all the requirements of a good home, with suitable training, instruction and actual nursing in the homes of the poor and among people of moderate income, and at the end of the course the student's fare home is paid.

### REPLY TO GENERAL CASTILLO

Cuban Patriot Is Told That Our Evacuation of Cuba Is Matter of Opinion.

Washington, July 2.—Secretary of War Taft has thrown additional light upon his plans respecting the United States evacuation of Cuba by sending the following cablegram to Governor Magoon at Havana:

"I am in receipt of a telegram from General Loinaz, Castillo as to something I have said with reference to the restoration of Cuba to the republic. The plan for the devolution of the government of the island upon the person to be selected by a fair election, as outlined in my letter to you, has not been changed in the slightest. The question of the time within which that can be worked out, due to the doubt as to the time in which the census can be taken, is a mere matter of opinion. Please advise General Castillo accordingly."

### Chicago Boy Surely Murdered.

Cleveland, July 2.—The dead body of William Cassidy, 18 years old, was found in a Lake Shore freight car here, and the authorities are convinced he was murdered. Cassidy was a moving picture operator and lived at 122 Randolph street, Chicago. His skull was fractured and a blood-covered brick was found near his body.

### Wants the Jesuits Kept Out.

Lima, Peru, July 2.—In a note to the government Guillermo A. Seoane, prosecuting attorney of the supreme court, denounces there-establishment in Peru of the Jesuit order. This he declares to be contrary to law and asks for the expulsion of the members.

### Concentrating at the Capitol.

St. Louis, July 2.—The Mississippi valley bureau of plant industry of the United States department of agriculture has been removed from St. Louis to Washington, following the government policy to concentrate all departments in one city.

### Public Debt Statement.

Washington, July 2.—The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of the fiscal year June 30, 1907, the public debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to \$878,596,755, which is a decrease for the month of \$16,185,775.

### Honor for Dick Croker.

Dublin, July 2.—The corporation of Dublin has decided by a vote of 28 to 13 to confer the freedom of the city upon Richard Croker, whose horse Orby won the Derby at Epsom June 5.

### SCORES ON THE DIAMONDS

Chicago, July 2.—Following are the base ball scores:

League: At Philadelphia—New York 2, Philadelphia 6; at Brooklyn—Boston 3, Brooklyn 6; (second game) Boston 2, Brooklyn 3—ten innings; at Chicago—Pittsburg 2, Chicago 5.

American: At Boston—Philadelphia 1, Boston 5; at St. Louis—Cleveland 6, St. Louis 2; at New York—Washington 15, New York 16; (second game) Washington 4, New York 8; at Chicago—Detroit 2, Chicago 4.

Association: At Milwaukee—Minneapolis 5, Milwaukee 7; at Indianapolis—Louisville 1, Indianapolis 16; at Toledo—Columbus 7, Toledo 2; (second game) Columbus 8, Toledo 8—eight innings, darkness; at St. Paul—Kansas City 5, St. Paul 2.

Western: At Omaha—Lincoln 3, Omaha 2—sixteen innings; at Pueblo—Des Moines 1, Pueblo 1—nine innings; at Denver—Sioux City 6, Denver 2.

## REFUND OR BE SUED

That is the Word That Goes to Ex-State Officers Who Hold Some Fees.

### MUCH LITIGATION IS TO ENSUE

Attorneys Will Be Dissatisfied by a Stead Ruling—More About the Belleville Matter.

Springfield, Ill., July 22.—Acting under a decision of the supreme court, Governor Deneen has made formal demand on ex-state auditors and treasurers that they return to the state all fees collected by them under the registered bond act. Thirty days are given in which to pay, after which date suit will be brought to compel payment. How many will pay up on this demand is not known, but it is understood that a number of estates and bondsmen of officials who are dead will contest.

### Attorneys Get No Extra Fees.

Attorney General Stead holds that state's attorneys now in office cannot receive the benefit of senate bill 76, which changes their fees under the old schedule, while in other cases a fee is allowed for services which under the law in force prior to this day had to be performed gratis. State's attorneys who will be elected in 1908 will be entitled to the additional fees, but those now holding office will have to be content with the amounts provided by statute at the time they were elected.

### Russell to Run Again.

Springfield, Ill., July 2.—Andrew J. Russell, of Jacksonville, who was defeated for the Republican nomination for state treasurer at the last state convention, is getting ready again to make the race. Russell is in Springfield, but declined to say when he will announce his candidacy.

### Chicago and Alton Cutoff.

Springfield, Ill., July 2.—The Chicago and Alton's celebrated Murrayville cutoff, joining this city with its Kansas City division near Jacksonville, has been inspected by President Felton and other officials. The construction of this cutoff created the sensation in the recent Harriman hearing. The stations have been named after the interstate commerce commission.

### Moulton To Be Major General.

Springfield, Ill., July 2.—Brigadier General Moulton, senior in command of the Illinois National Guard, will be named by Governor Deneen as major general under the new military code, and soon after will resign. The probability is that Brigadier General Young will be named to succeed him.

### HIS FIRST FOOD WAS BABY FOOD

Dr. Eales Breaks His Month's Fast by Taking a Small Quantity of Malted Milk.

Belleville, Ill., July 2.—Dr. J. I. Eales broke his month's fast by partaking of a small quantity of malted milk. His fast was instituted to test his theory that total abstinence from food for a period is beneficial to health. After taking the malted milk he said he would fast for twenty-four hours longer to ascertain what effect the nourishment would have upon his system.

Beginning his fast at 192 pounds he has lost twenty-eight pounds. His chest measurement has been reduced from 43 to 44 inches and his waist from 44 to 34 inches. He exercised with weights of 75 and 100 pounds, and lifted a man weighing 225 pounds to demonstrate that his strength has not been diminished. Dr. Eales has received letters of inquiry from physicians and college professors from all parts of the United States concerning the effects of his fast.

### Denunciation for a Kiss.

Cairo, Ill., July 2.—More evil lurks in a poor little "kiss" than all the other vices put together, according to Rev. L. D. Bass, of the Cavalry Baptist church, who astounded members of his church by his sermon. He said: "Nothing has more of heaven's fire or the fire of hell than a kiss. The best things perverted are the worst instrumentalities for deadly evil. And I know nothing as subtle and as damaging as a burning, thrilling kiss."

### Killed by Her Sweetheart.

East St. Louis, Ill., July 2.—Barbara A. Harr, 15 years old, was shot and instantly killed at the home of Elias Ashworth, her sweetheart, who is 17 years old, and Ashworth is under arrest. He says he was showing the girl a revolver, and it was accidentally discharged, the bullet penetrating her heart.

### Big Revenue Collections.

Peoria, Ill., July 2.—The internal revenue collections of the Fifth internal revenue district for the fiscal year ended June 30 are the largest in the history of the district. Collector P. G. Kennick says the year's business aggregated \$35,577,448.10, as compared with \$33,587,653.93 collected in 1906.

### Father and Son Found Guilty.

Albion, Ill., July 2.—David Kellers and Albert Kellers, his son, have been found guilty of the murder of Sheriff Alexander Compton, of Wabash county, last December. It was an assassination and both got life sentences.

### Consolidation Is "Off."

Chicago, July 2.—Negotiations looking to the consolidation of the Commercial and Continental National banks have been declared off. The officials of the two financial institutions were unable to agree on terms.

## VETOES A "REGULATOR"

Gov. Davidson, of Wisconsin, Does Not Approve Whitehead's Bill to Control Security Issues.

Madison, Wis., July 2.—Because he believes it would give reorganized railroad companies unrestricted powers in issuing stocks and bonds, and give holders of preferred stock unfair privileges and preferences over holders of common stock, Governor Davidson vetoed Whitehead's bill regulating the issuing of stocks and bonds by corporations.

The veto was sent to Chief Clerk Emerson, of the senate, who will report it when that body reconvenes next Monday night. The governor says he advised Whitehead to withdraw the bill from the executive office pending the action of the legislature on the Hagemeister stocks and bonds bill, but that it was not withdrawn, caused the arrest of 100 citizens of that

### Last Wishes of Garibaldi.

Rome, July 2.—Of the several wills in the handwriting of Giuseppe Garibaldi, the Italian liberator, found recently in Leghorn the instrument bearing the latest date contains the request that his remains be incinerated on the island of Capraia, his home, at a spot he marked with an iron stake, and his ashes then be interred in the Janiculum, at Rome, near his equestrian statue.

### Street Car Men Better Paid.

Chicago, July 2.—Nearly 7,000 men employed on the street car lines and elevated roads of Chicago have received an advance in wages of from 7 to 10 per cent. All Union traction employees, on both north and west sides of the city, are included in the increase. The elevated men on four elevated systems also profit by the raise.

### Carlos' Police Very Vigilant.

Lisbon, July 2.—At the moment of the departure of Crown Prince Luiz Philippe on a tour of the colonies a number of persons on board a tug in the harbor indulged in a hostile demonstration. The port police at once surrounded the vessel and placed those on board under arrest.

### Ore Docks Break Records.

Superior, Wis., July 2.—The Minnesota ore docks at West Duluth last month broke all former records for shipping iron ore, their total being 2,156,096 tons, making the amount shipped so far this year 4,004,786 tons.

### Many Saloons Have to Close.

Nashville, Tenn., July 2.—The recent legislature passed a bill allowing Nashville to confine the saloons to the uptown district. This segregation act has gone into effect and puts about 100 saloons out of business.

### Nine Indicted for Murder.

New Orleans, July 2.—Nine Italians, two of them women, have been indicted for murder in the Lamana kidnapping.

## THE MARKETS

### Chicago Grain.

Chicago, July 1.

Following were the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade today:

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close.

July ... \$ .93 1/2 .95 1/2 .93 1/2 .94 1/2

Sept. ... .96 1/2 .98 .96 1/2 .97 1/2

Dec. ... 1.00 1.01 1/2 .99 1/2 1.00 1/2

Corn—

July ... .53 1/2 .55 1/2 .53 1/2 .54 1/2

Sept. ... .53 1/2 .54 1/2 .53 1/2 .54 1/2

Dec. ... .52 1/2 .53 .52 .52 1/2

May ... .53 1/2 .54 1/2 .53 .54

Oats—

July ... .42 1/2 .44 1/2 .40 1/2 .41 1/2

Sept. ... .37 1/2 .38 1/2 .37 1/2 .38

Dec. ... .38 1/2 .39 1/2 .38 1/2 .39

May ... .40 1/2 .41 1/2 .40 1/2 .41 1/2

Pork—

July ... 16.20 16.35 16.20 16.25

Sept. ... 16.45 16.57 16.45 16.47 1/2

Lard—

July ... 8.82 1/2 8.92 8.82 1/2 8.87 1/2

Sept. ... 9.07 1/2 9.15 9.07 1/2 9.10

Oct. ... 9.15 9.17 1/2 9.15 9.15

Short Ribs—

July ... 8.05 8.05 8.00 8.00

Sept. ... 8.85 8.92 1/2 8.85 8.85

Oct. ... 8.82 1/2 8.82 1/2 8.77 1/2 8.77 1/2

Cash sales—Winter wheat—By sample: No. 2 red, 96¢/97¢; No. 3 red, 96¢; No. 2 hard, 94¢/96¢; No. 3 hard, 94¢/96¢.

Spring wheat—By sample: No. 1 northern, \$1.01/1.04; No. 2 northern, 99¢/1.02; No. 3 spring, 95¢/1.01.

Corn—By sample: 1/4 & 1/2 higher: No. 2, 54¢; No. 2 white, 52¢; No. 2 yellow, 54¢; No. 3, 53 1/2¢/54¢; No. 3 white, 54¢; No. 3 yellow, 54¢; No. 4, 52¢/53¢.

### Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 1.

Hogs—Receipts 25,000. Sales ranged at \$5.95/6.20 for common to choice light hogs, \$5.35/5.75 for rough lots, \$5.75/6.00 heavy packers, 18.05/6.15 butcher hogs.

Cattle—Receipts 20,000. Quotations ranged at \$5.00/6.75 for beef steers, \$6.80/7.10 choice to extra, \$2.75/6.10 bulls, \$



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# YOUNG FARMER IS NEAR TO DEATH

James Brogan, a young farmer living on the Prophetstown road seven miles west of Rock Falls narrowly averted being killed while plowing corn last Saturday afternoon. The young man was cultivating corn in the field when one of the horses attached to the riding plow became frightened and the team started to run, throwing Brogan from the seat and landing him on his head. The lines were wound around the young man's back and after he had been thrown from the plow he was dragged for a distance of forty rods across the field and on the road toward his home. The cultivator was wrecked and the lines broken when the horses gained their freedom, which is probably the only reason that Brogan was not killed. He was badly hammered up about the head and body by bounding along the road in the runaway and was unconscious for twelve hours.

Miss Lella Preston was visiting in Nachusa yesterday.

Oscar Smith of Nachusa, who is suffering from paralysis, is not improving, and his condition is regarded as serious.

Miss Etta Smith of this city is spending a week's vacation from her duties at Kramer's Five and Ten Cent store, with friends in Freeport.

Mrs. Clifford Hatch and daughter Ruth of Rockford are here spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Weitzel, North Galena avenue.

Mrs. A. J. Myers, Mrs. Theo Wilson and Miss Ella Kentner went to Chicago this morning. They made the trip in the C. E. Weatherly auto and expect to spend ten days at the Weatherly home in the city.

Yesterday an elderly lady living east of town lost a twenty dollar bill from her handbag while shopping. The bill was dropped on First street. It is hoped that anyone finding this money will make inquiries, for the lady is a hardworking woman and this money represents many hours of labor.

## Sporting Notes.

### REAL PLANETS TO BE HERE ON THURSDAY

Peru Stars Are Real Goods According to Dope, So Hokey For Cracker Day.

The Dementtown Kid, who is the most fanatically crazy fan in town, has butted into baseball. In an exclusive interview this morning Mr. Kid stated, "these yere peero stars wat are goin to perform here fire-cracker day are about th' hottest bunch of potatoes in th' stew in these yere parts."

And the Kid knows. He has read every bit of dope that has appeared in any of the papers around here, and he hangs around this office a great deal looking at reports of ball games. He has kept account and tells us confidentially that the Peru Stars have lost but three games this season and that they have played many of the hottest propositions in Cook county.

Therefore it is very much quite probable that Buck & Company will be forced to go the limit to split even with the invaders in the two games Thursday. The first game will be played at 10:30 in the other at 3 in the afternoon.

#### Belvidere Sunday.

The Belvidere bunch, former side jacks of Dennis Killarney and Blake, are coming Saturday and Sunday, and there will be great doings then. Dinny deserted the Bells to come to Dixon and he told the boys up there he was "going to play with a faster bunch." But Dennis doesn't know whether 'tis or 'tain't. He has gotten on his knees before every one of Miller's family and asked them to help him win both games, and they're all going to try. But Dennis will play the star game. So get out.

#### To Try Outfielder.

Jack McCormick of Sterling, one of the most clever of the ball players of that village, will probably be given a tryout in the morning game Thursday. He is twenty-four years of age, small of stature, but fast on his feet and is reported to be a reliable hitter.

Guy Trowbridge is still quite ill. Dan Blackburn of Kewanee is at home to spend the Fourth.

Morris Rosbrook has returned from Rosedale, where he has been farming.

Andrew Burkett was home over Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Burkett.

Miss Nellie Slain, Mrs. Wm. Ma-loney and Miss Lailay have gone to Clinton, Ia., to visit at the Ed Lally farm.

## RAISED MONEY TO IMPROVE CEMETERY

### AMBOY PEOPLE WERE ENTER- TAINED AT THE HENRY WALTERS HOME.

#### ARCHBISHOP QUIGLEY IN AMBOY

Administered Confirmation to Large Class—Many Social Gatherings in Amboy.

Amboy, July 1—The hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walters, two miles south of town, was opened last Tuesday evening for the benefit of Oak Ridge cemetery in Birmingham. Free conveyances left town at 8 and 8:30 p. m. and over a hundred took advantage of the opportunity and enjoyed the evening at that pleasant place. Ice cream, cake and strawberries were served. The proceeds of the sale of refreshments, which netted a fair sum, was added to the treasury of the cemetery association.

Rev. Garrett of Brainard, Minn., preached in the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. B. J. H. Shaw of the Congregational church exchanged pulpits with Rev. C. W. Bast of Lee Center Sunday for both morning and evening services.

Services will be held Monday evening, July 1, in St. Thomas Episcopal church. Rev. N. W. Heermans will officiate.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will hold a social on the town next Tuesday evening, July 2, at the church. Ice cream and cake will be served.

Archbishop Quigley arrived in Amboy Thursday evening and on Friday morning administered confirmation to a large class at St. Patrick's Catholic church. Many of the class were from Walton.

The members of the W. C. T. U. of the surrounding country held a picnic Wednesday at the home of Mrs. L. Bronson at Lee Center. Thirty-five ladies from Amboy attended, and there were many from other places. A very enjoyable day was spent.

A company of young people of Amboy drove to Dixon last Monday for a picnic in Assembly park, returning to their homes late in the evening.

A pleasant social gathering was held last Friday afternoon at the home of E. W. Conderson, in honor of Mrs. Gilbert of Oahe, Kas. Many guests from Walton, Eastlin Grove and Amboy were present. Ice cream and cake were served. A feature of the occasion was the presentation to the guest of honor of a leather post card to each guest, chess cards to be made into a pillow as a memento of a very pleasant afternoon spent with old friends.

The Thimble club was very pleasantly entertained late Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Hook on West Division street.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church held its election of officers last Monday evening. Miss May Searles was elected president, Misses Maude Dyemank, Stella Klein, Hazel Virgil and Ina Weise, vice presidents; Austa Klein, secretary; Bessie Ball, treasurer; Alice Hewett, organist; Maude Dykemank, chorister.

Preparations for the Fourth are going on. There will be horse races, foot races, ball games and a grand ball in the evening.

The Bert Hess Carnival company is exhibiting in Amboy this week, with its variety of shows. The attractions draw big crowds each evening. The tents were filled last evening from Division street to the electric light plant.

F. N. Vaughan has a new 24-horse power automobile.

Warren Badger of Dixon was here Wednesday.

F. G. Wahnke of El Paso was in town Tuesday.

Dr. R. V. Moore of Freeport was the guest of Dr. E. A. Sullivan last week.

Geo. Novgate has been painting his residence on Adams avenue. Ed Platt and little son came up from Clinton Wednesday.

Miss Katherine Clark has been visiting in Mendota for the past two weeks.

The residence of William Hammond on Adams avenue is being repainted this week.

The Henry Klein home on Main street is receiving a new coat of paint.

Mrs. Harry Gardner and little

daughter returned to Chicago Tuesday morning.

Howard Green is home from East Hampton, Mass., to spend his summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Cate of California were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Jones Tuesday.

Mrs. W. P. Barnes is entertaining a friend, Miss Baum from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Purdy and sons, Glenn and Arthur, drove to Sublette Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Dana and little daughter of Dixon were in Amboy on Thursday.

Ray Emery entertained two friends, Leland Edwards and Ben Ely of Bloomington last Sunday.

Misses Josie Kehoe and Elizabeth Edwards have gone to DeKalb for six weeks study in the summer school there.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bulis of Eagle Grove, Ia., have been visiting at the Hubbard Wahl home the past week.

Twenty-seven members of the Masonic lodge of this city drove to Lee Center last Friday evening, to attend the degree work and banquet at that place.

#### GRAND DETOUR.

Grand Detour, July 1—Mrs. C. A. Hewett returned to her home in Chicago today.

Supervisors Hunt from Ashton, Fisher of Forreston and Davis of Davis Junction were here Monday on bridge business.

Mrs. Shook and two children of Woosung were here Monday.

The Larkins Club No. 3 met with Mrs. Will Frey on Tuesday afternoon.

C. A. Sheffield drove to Dixon on Tuesday.

Mrs. C. F. Throop spent Wednesday in Dixon.

Mrs. H. C. Earls is having her house repaired.

Mrs. E. Etnyre drove to Dixon on Wednesday.

R. G. Remmers is having his house, barn and other buildings painted. Smice & Wood of Dixon are doing the work.

The Larkins Club No. 2 met with Mrs. Will Myers Thursday.

John Teeter and wife of Dixon visited her sister, Mrs. T. A. Foxley, Thursday.

Mrs. J. Pankhurst and sister, Mrs. Mark Sheffield, spent Friday in Dixon.

H. Winebrenner, son and three daughters went to Harrison to attend the funeral of his grandson.

Mrs. Lawson of Chicago is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Bovey.

Mrs. McAlpine of Dixon entertained a party of ladies at the Sheffield house Friday.

Miss Mary Keefer of Harmon is with her sister, Mrs. Frank Winebrenner.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hetherington have gone to South Dixon.

Mrs. Georgia Remmers and daughter were visitors in Dixon on Saturday.

The ice cream social given by the ball club last Saturday night was well attended.

J. H. Mumma and wife and Miss Harrington were in Dixon Saturday.

C. W. Johnson and wife attended the reception for the G. A. R. given by the W. R. C. in Dixon on Saturday night.

Amos Bosworth, mother and three sisters dined at the Sheffield House Saturday evening.

Mrs. Kate Johnson and son of Kansas visited her sister, Mrs. C. W. Johnson, and family last week.

S. Prettyman and wife and Pearl Jones drove to Ashton Sunday to visit Will Fletcher and family.

Miss Ione Harrington entertained Mrs. Wiley and sister, Mrs. Kelchner, at dinner Sunday.

Miss Mary Hammen and niece came down from Oregon Sunday to spend a few days here at her home.

Mrs. Nancy Palmer and daughter, Mrs. Munn, spent Sunday at the farm with her son Will and wife.

Gracia Cool spent Sunday with Marie Cummeckle.

Lon A. Furman was in this city on Monday from Clinton, Ia., calling on friends.

Mrs. Frank Kornhaus will leave Wednesday for Moline where she will visit her parents and other relatives for three weeks.

General Manager A. G. Hawley of the Home Telephone company, was here from Clinton, Ia., today on business with Manager Louis Pitcher.

James Balluo spent Sunday in Rochelle where his wife is visiting her parents. Mrs. Balluo's mother is seriously ill.

## HELD RECEPTION FOR G. A. R. POST

### AND ALSO FOR MRS. EASTMAN, JUNIOR VICE OF THE DEPARTMENT.

#### GIVEN BY THE RELIEFCORPS

Excellent Program Pleased the Large Number in Attendance—Department President There.

The Woman's Relief Corps held a reception Saturday night in G. A. R. hall, in the city building, for G. A. R. Post No. 229, and Mrs. Nellie Eastman, junior vice president of the department. An enjoyable evening was spent by all. Mrs. Anna B. Tuck of Plymouth, department president, was present, and Mrs. Olmstead of Ottawa, member of the executive board, was also present. Over two hundred were in attendance and thoroughly enjoyed the program of patriotic music and readings. It was a sort of birthday celebration for the Post on their 24th anniversary. Mrs. Lydia Parks, senior vice president of Corps 218, presided as the program was given and her remarks were very happy and were well received. The program was given as follows:

Song, Flag of Freedom, by three little daughters of No. 218; Florence Stackpole, Lucile Miller and Belle Read.

Reading—Mrs. Clarence Reid. Address—Comrade C. W. Dye.

Address—Mrs. Marilla Lewis. Duet—Our Nation's Flag—Mesdames Ballou and Read.

Address—Past Commander of Dixon Post A. C. Bardwell.

Song—The Little Brown Button. Mrs. Anna Tuck, department president, gave a very interesting address, and addresses were made by other members of both orders.

Past President Mrs. Marie J. L. Green made a very graceful presentation speech in presenting Mrs. Eastman with a beautiful cut glass dish in token of their appreciation of her services as president of Dixon W. R. C. and junior vice president of the department.

The Corps also presented a picture to G. A. R. Post 299 and a souvenir to Mrs. Anna B. Tuck. The gift to the Post was presented by Mrs. Rachel M. Dye.

The presentation of the picture to the Post was responded to by Commander H. J. Cook in a very pleasing manner, he thanking the W. R. C. in behalf of his comrades.

After the excellent program and addresses, ice cream and cake were served and a social hour enjoyed. The evening will long be remembered by those present as one of much pleasure and kindly social feeling.

#### FIVE NEW MEMBERS

##### JOIN COMPANY G

Five new members were added to company G at the meeting of that company last night. In three weeks the company will go into camp. The officers received the camp instructions this morning. Early Fourth of July morning the entire company will go to the rifle range to practice target shooting.

#### Nehemiah's Prayer.

"Nehemiah's Prayer" will be the topic at the prayer service in the Presbyterian church tomorrow evening. A meeting of the Session will be held following the prayer service.

Miss Hazel Kenneth went to Chicago this morning.

Attorney Charles F. Preston was here from Pawpaw Monday on professional business.

Miss Hazel Kenneth went to Chicago this morning.

C. C. Kennedy was in this city on Monday from Freeport transacting business.

Clark Heritage of Chicago is visiting at the W. B. Merriman home in the West End.

Miss Inez Mossholder will leave for Chicago tomorrow morning for a two weeks' visit.

Miss Bertha Mudgett of Des Moines, Ia., is visiting Misses Ada and May Brink of Dixon.

Miss Carrie Smith, secretary to Dr. E. A. Sickels, will leave tomorrow for a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. K. H. Clark of Chicago is in this city visiting her sister, Mrs. William Philpott, who is seriously ill.

Master Harold Lucas has returned home after spending a few days in the country at the E. B. Knight home.

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## DEMENT TOWN DOINGS

have, you noticed that 'bout all the wimen who are so stuck on fine jewelry have forgot how to use a rollin' pin?—Musings of the Kid.

Along the subject that a woman can do anything that a man can; how would a fair dame succeed as an auctioneer when she would yell to the crowd, "Now, gentlemen, all I want is an offer?"

The best way to find out what chance a poor man has in this world is to ask some millionaire.

The Pollywogs purchased an entire lumber yard Monday for their new cabin to be erected on Myer's island.

It is said that the so-called happy marriages are those in which both parties are exceptionally good at putting up a bluff.

Won't somebody please introduce a cheap food bill?

Press reports state that a Massachusetts man has eloped with his mother-in-law. More probably he has been eloped with by her.

Contrary to expectations no cigaret fiend committed suicide yesterday.

Billy Bryan says the constitution of Oklahoma is the best in the country. Some time when Billy isn't so busy talking he should take time to read the constitution of the United States.

Moving pictures exploded in a Chicago theatre the other day. When you look at them all you wonder how it is all of them have not blown up before this.

The Dixon Grocery company has added two new clerks to the force.

The Dixon G. C. evidently believes in the old proverb from the Book of Mohammed that "Every little bit added to what you have Makes just a little bit more."

"Library Hours Change" is the head over a current local news story. Kindly set your clocks to match.

Jack London says the president does not know everything. Wonder if he is prepared to prove this assertion.

Clarence and Arthur Seagren left this morning for a two weeks' visit in Chicago.

### For Vacation.

The Grand Detour plow shops closed this evening for the annual vacation of the employees. During the time repairs will be made to the machinery and equipment of the shops and when they resume operations the first of August it will be with facilities of turning out a larger product.

### STORE AT LYNDON BLOWN UP

ROBBERS SECURE \$90 FROM A WHITESIDE COUNTY STORE AND POSTOFFICE.

Lyndon, Ill., July 2—Special — Carpenter's store was blown up with dynamite here at 1 o'clock this morning by robbers who secured \$70 in cash and \$20 worth of postage stamps. \$50 of the cash belonged to J. A. Carpenter and \$20 to Postmaster W. A. Greenlee. A resident near the store was awakened by the explosion, but did not investigate and the robbery was not discovered until this morning. It is generally believed that the robbery was the work of local talent. Tools with which the door of the store was pried open were secured at a nearby blacksmith shop.

Mr. Hearst is the man who does things and just now he seems to be doing the democratic party.

We wonder what Alfonso will call his son for short when he wants him to come in to dinner.

Brownsville assures Senator Foraker that he can visit it without being shot up, but it will not promise to vote for him.

An esteemed contemporary has discovered that there will be 53 Sundays in this year. Which will be particularly hard on communities that are not yet accustomed to the lid.

## SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

PAST AND PROSPECTIVE

Leave your order for engraved calling cards, wedding or reception invitations at this office.

The picnic to be given for the Sunday school of the People's church will be postponed until a later date.

### Social Entertainment.

Minnie Bell Rebekeah lodge, I. O. O. F., will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Ward at their home, 1911 West First street, Wednesday evening, July 3rd. All Rebekeahs are cordially invited.

John McCleary and family entertained at their home in Palmyra Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brown, Will Godfrey and family and Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Cryor.

The Ladies' Aid society of the People's church will hold their monthly meeting Friday afternoon in the parlors of the church.

Misses Gladys Steel, Elsie Schumm, Helen Mason and Helen Patrick, and Clarence Soper, Jim Sterling, Theodore Mason and Harry Higgins, who have been camping at Don Detour for the past two weeks, with Mrs. H. O. Soper as chaperone, returned home yesterday. A splendid time is reported by the young folks and stories of huge mosquitoes and monster snakes are rife.

### W. C. T. U. Picnic.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its annual picnic Friday afternoon, July 5th, at the home of Mrs. R. W. Sproul, north of town. Honorary members and friends of the union are especially invited. Members take necessary dishes with eatables. Conveyances will be at Rowland's corner at two o'clock to take all who wish to go.

### An Art Exhibit.

On the afternoon of the Fourth of July the twenty art students who have formed a two weeks' sketching party in Grand Detour under the supervision of the well known Chicago artist, Charles Francis Browne, will hold an exhibition of their work in Sheffield hall. A cordial invitation is extended to all who would enjoy seeing what they have accomplished.

The Queen Esther circle of the Methodist church will give an entertainment Friday night in the parlors of the church. After the entertainment an ice cream and cake social will be held on the church lawn and an enjoyable evening is looked forward to by those who expect to attend.

### Excellent Church Concert.

The Lutheran church realized quite a neat sum of money from the recital given at the church last evening. The attendance was good and the program was one of much merit. It was an excellent musical program and was highly appreciated, both for its variety and the good quality of the selections.

Miss Nellie Cortright, daughter of Supervisor and Mrs. N. A. Cortright, recited two splendid recitations. The first was, "If I Were King," by McArthy, and another entitled, "A Committee on Matrimony," by Baulton. This young lady, who is a talented and versatile reader, is a graduate of the Cumtrock School of Oratory of the Northwestern university. Miss Cortright will give several of her readings at the Rock River Assembly this year.

The young lady has a clear voice, is an excellent interpreter of character and her thorough training added to these makes her a pleasing and successful reader.

The excellent Dixon Opera House orchestra played two very good numbers. Miss Carrie Smith sang with much expression, "Sundown." Chas. Lowry, one of the rising young violinists of the city, played a solo to the entire satisfaction of all. A trio composed of Misses Shippert, Eichenberg and Krietzer sang very beautifully, "Night Sinks on the Wave." Miss Shippert and Mr. Leydig played a duet, "Piccolo Fantasia." The church choir sang two selections. On the whole, the recital was one of the best ever given by a Dixon church choir.

Mrs. Frank Ballou entertained a few friends at her home last evening.

The G. F. N. club and friends will break camp today at Thompson's cottage and will be home tonight. The club has been in camp two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Stiteley and a few friends were taken to Grand Detour in Coe's launch today. Dinner was enjoyed at Grandy.

Friday afternoon at Assembly park in Chautauqua hall, the Ladies Aid society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold their annual picnic. All members are cordially urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Engle of 84 Lincoln avenue, celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Sunday evening, and they entertained a few friends in honor of the occasion. Many pretty gifts were received by Mr. and Mrs. Engle and pleasing refreshments added to the joy of the event.

Last evening at the home of Mrs. Carl Seaberg, corner of College avenue and Third street, Mrs. Seaberg, Mrs. Scholl, Mrs. Stebbins and Mrs. Dodder very enjoyably entertained the members of the Ideal club and their husbands. Music was a feature of the evening and some excellent drawing was displayed by some of the guests in the drawing contest. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. William Greig entertained the Thursday Reading Circle and the Candlelighters with a trip to Lowell park this afternoon on the City of Dixon. The Misses Greig of Michigan, sisters of Mr. Greig, were guests of honor. A delightful afternoon was spent and tempting refreshments were served.

### Poor Babies.

The chief health officer of Pittsburgh, Pa., says that the ignorance of young mothers causes half the babies to die before they reach the age of one year. That city is preparing a code of rules for use of the "newly wed" in the hope of lowering the infant mortality rate.

Miss Lottie Nelson, a former Dixon college student, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Knight.

Japan should bear in mind that pride goeth before a lambasting.

The augusta Herald marvels that the apparent order of the months is January, May, March, June, February, April. The calendar is guilty of disorderly conduct, that's all.

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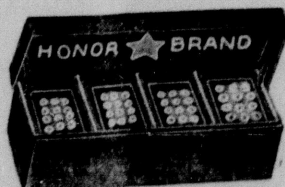
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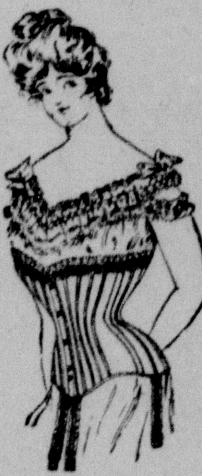
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TUESDAY, JULY 2.

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|---|-----------|-------------|
| 1 | 2:35 Trot | Purse \$400 |
| 2 | 2:25 Pace | Purse 400   |
| 3 | 2:11 Pace | Purse 400   |

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3.

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|---|-----------|-------------|
| 4 | 2:30 Pace | Purse \$500 |
| 5 | 2:20 Trot | Purse 400   |
| 6 | 2:14 Pace | Purse 500   |

THURSDAY, JULY 4.

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|---|----------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1 | 2:24 Trot                              | Purse \$500 |
| 2 | Free-for-all Pace (The Broncho barred) | Purse 500   |
| 3 | 2:12 Trot                              | Purse 400   |

FRIDAY, JULY 5.

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|---|-----------|-------------|
| 2 | 2:18 Pace | Purse \$500 |
| 3 | 2:17 Trot | Purse 400   |
| 4 | 2:23 Trot | Purse 400   |

F. P. Conley, Secretary.

## COURT CARDS AND CUPID.

By COLIN S. COLLINS.

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"Jack o' Spades," Culbert called him that first morning he had gone to work in the Buckley building. Protests to the effect that his name was John Symonds were of no avail. His name was Jack, and he was as black as the ace of spades, so the name clung.

At first he was angry, but one could not remain angry long with Kingsland Culbert, and in the end Jack wound up by paying him a hero worship that at times threatened to cost the man his position: for with Culbert in the elevator it ran express to the next to the top floor, no matter what the other passengers might threaten.

But Jack had gained the position through having saved Buckley's little girl from a runaway accident, and he merely smiled tolerantly at the complaints and suggested that perhaps the elevator had become unmanageable.

Until Edith McQueen came, Culbert had reigned alone, but after that he was relegated to second place, the only instance wherein, according to Ben Hodgman, the queen outranked both king and jack in the pack.

Miss McQueen was employed by Hodgman & Pettit, whose office was on the third floor, and it was Culbert's habit to drop off at their offices on his way out to lunch and pick up the girl. He had obtained the position for her, and it was understood that they were engaged, though no golden band announced that fact.

Then there came the day when Jack noticed that Miss McQueen had been crying when she came in. Culbert did not arrive until late and his face was drawn and very white. He did not even smile when he nodded to Jack. When he went out to lunch, he stayed twice as long as usual, and when he did return it seemed to Jack that he had had more than the one cocktail he usually allowed himself.

Miss McQueen did not go out to lunch at all, and when her employers had ridden down to lunch together, Jack slipped into the office to ask if he could bring her in something. There he found her with her head upon her arms. Her eyes glistened with tears as she raised her face at the sound of his entrance.

"Don't you want a cup o' tea, Miss Queenie?" he pleaded. "It's sho' good for the headache."

She shook her head with a wan little smile and Jack slipped out again. That night the car passed Culbert's door twice before it stopped for him. A king had been deposed.

But he was reinstated again because of his evident suffering. After that first day he did not repeat the cocktail episode; indeed, he seemed oblivious to lunch time and never by any chance used the elevator when Miss McQueen might happen to be going out or in.

Jack pondered the situation, but there was only one conclusion possible in his limited experience. There had been a quarrel and both were too proud to speak first.

It grieved him because they were good friends of his, these two, and their quarrel hurt him as much as it seemed to hurt them. More than once he was tempted to speak to one or the other and tell how the other suffered, but a certain delicacy held him back, and he could only miserably wait the turn of events.

Then came Jack's scare. It was a dull afternoon, and he let the elevator drop slowly down. At the ground floor he threw open the door to look up at a huge policeman; not Charlie, who had the beat and who sometimes came in to get warm, but another man, a stranger. Though he had never had direct dealings with the police, Jack was afraid of them. To him they were not guardians of the peace. They were men who arrested people. When the big man demanded to know which office Miss McQueen was in, refreshing his memory as to the name from a formidable looking document, Jack's heart sank.

"I want to see her about a stolen watch," he added, and Jack's misery was complete. The little chatelaine she had worn had been replaced lately by a more elaborate affair of gold with a long chain. It must be this one that was wanted.

There was only one thing to be done. Hadn't Mr. Culbert got the janitor out of jail that time he had trouble with his wife? Jack ran the car up to the sixth floor and with a vague "To the left" shut the door and dropped down to the third.

He burst in upon Miss McQueen with a face gray with horror and excitement. She rose uncertainly at his call and came into the hall.

He fairly dragged her into the car and shot up to the top floor. Through the lattice guard he could see the officer descending the stairs. Some one had told him where the girl worked, and he was going after her.

Panting with fear, he stopped at the seventh floor and pushed Miss McQueen into Culbert's office, closing and locking the door after him. Culbert looked up wearily from the desk.

"What's the matter, Jack?" he demanded, with a formal bow to the girl.

"Dar's a policeman after her," he explained. "She done stole a watch, and he's after her."

"What are you talking about?" Culbert cried. "Miss McQueen a thief. Impossible!"

"He done say he want to see her about a watch that was stole," insisted Jack. "Ah done hear him."

"A policeman wishes to see me?"

asked the girl. "About a watch?" Jack nodded. "I think I can explain," she went on, turning to Culbert. "When—when it happened I stopped wearing your watch and used mother's, I left yours on the bureau, and when I came home it was gone. I made a complaint to the police, and I suppose they have caught the thief and wish me to identify my property."

"But what have I to do with it?" he asked.

"I don't know," she replied. "Jack just came after me, his face livid with fear. I supposed that something terrible had happened, that perhaps—"

"I was in trouble," Culbert suggested, supplying the break. "I have been tempted to, but it seemed cowardly to kill myself. What I cannot understand is Jack's chain of reasoning."

"Ain't lawyers for to keep people from goin' to jail?" the boy demanded. "And ain't you the best lawyer?"

"You cannot expect me to answer 'no' to that," laughed Culbert.

"Dat's it," explained Jack. "I brung her up here to save her."

The two threw back their heads and laughed, and in that laugh the misunderstandings were forgotten. Culbert tucked her under his arm in the old familiar way and unlocked the door.

"I guess I'll go down with you and see the officer," he said. "It looks important to have your attorney."

He threw open the door, and Jack slipped out. There was a soft but significant sound that brought a grin to Jack's face, and then the two followed him into the car.

The big policeman grinned at Jack in most friendly fashion when the interview concluded, and he stepped into the car. On the up trip Culbert slipped a bill into his hand.

"There's a piece of wedding cake goes with this," he said, "but that comes a little later. This is a time, my boy, when the Jack of Spades captured the Queen of Hearts and the King of Idiots."

"Yessir," assented Jack, wondering what it all meant. He knew about the wedding cakes and ten dollar bills. The rest was Greek, but satisfactory because his king and queen were pleased.

### His Wedding Fee.

A New England clergyman tells of a wedding fee which lasted ten times as long as any other he ever received and which, he believes, has never been duplicated. The wedding was that of a thrifty widow to an elderly bachelor, who was sadly in need of just the care and the feeding he would receive at the widow's hands. The wedding was a lively one, and as the clergyman was about to depart the bride stepped up to him and whispered:

"I sent Henry over with your fee half an hour ago. He wasn't in a position to give you one, but I told him he could lug it over and that would show his good will. I hope you'll like it. You always have."

When the minister reached his house, he was greeted by his wife, whom the six-week-old baby had kept at home that evening.

"The bridegroom brought over your fee awhile ago," she said in a voice shaking with laughter. "I had him put it out in the kitchen."

"That's a pretty place for a wedding fee!" cried the minister as he hurried out to the kitchen, followed by his wife.

There he found his fee—two dozen glass jars bearing neat labels which set forth the nature of their contents—six of "currant jelly," six of "spiced currants," six of "grape jam" and six of sweet pickle.

"We laughed over that fee more than any other," said the minister, "but we also had more solid enjoyment out of it than out of any other I've ever received."—Youth's Companion.

### He Was Not Theobald.

The gray haired nobleman sat in solitary state before the fire in his ancestral hall. As he meditated upon the past and upon the glory of his ancestors the clock struck the hour of midnight.

The sound brought him to his feet and these words from his mouth:

"It is now exactly twenty years since my only son was sent by me from under my roof tree. Oh, Theobald, Theobald, perhaps I was too hard on you! Won't you come back to me now?"

Just then he heard a footstep in the passage. Hastily opening the door, he discovered a man in the act of leaving the castle.

"Oh, don't you know me?" asked the stranger. "I'm Theobald."

The earl looked at him critically. "Then why are your pockets full of spoons?" he asked. "And why are you wearing the cake basket as a chest protector?"

That was the pretended prodigal discovered, and there was no fatted calf for him. They don't supply veal in jail.—London Tit Bits.

### A Poser.

A professor in philosophy was lecturing upon "Identity" and had just argued that parts of a whole might be subtracted and other matter substituted, yet the whole would remain the same, instancing the fact that, although every part of our bodies is changed in seven years, we remain the same individuals.

"Then," said a student, "if I had a knife and lost the blade and had a new blade put in it, it would still be the identical knife?"

"Certainly," was the reply.

"Then if I should lose the handle from the new blade and have another handle made to fit it the knife would still be the same?"

"That is so," said the professor.

"Then, in that case," triumphantly rejoined the student, "if I should find the old blade and the old handle and have the original parts put together, what knife would that be?"

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William Dykeman, living in Dixon, Ill., says: "My brother-in-law suffered at intervals for a long time with pains through his back and across his loins. His back was always lame and at times the pains would be so severe as to force him to give up work for several days at a time. The trouble grew more severe as time went on regardless of the fact that he was using remedies all the time, but they did not seem to give him any relief. He was very much run down in general health and about a year ago he came to the conclusion that the trouble was caused by an unhealthy condition of the kidneys, and procuring a box of Doan's Kidney Pills began to take the min accordance with the directions. Before he had finished the first box the pains in the back had ceased, the lameness left him and he began to pick up in general health. In a very short time was completely cured. He attributes his permanent cure to Doan's Kidney Cure."

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## ANARCHY IN GUATEMALA

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City of Mexico, July 2.—Word has reached the City of Mexico that President Cabrera, of Guatemala, has caused the arrest of 100 citizens of that republic on the charge of alleged complicity in the recent attempt to assassinate him. All were thrown into prison and later herded into squads of twenty and tried in groups. Two bands have been tried and many of the accused sentenced to death. Among the men imprisoned are some of the most wealthy and prominent men in the country.

When the news of the wholesale arrests became generally known the diplomatic corps, with the exception of Phillip M. Brown, the United States charge d'affaires, protested. No attention was paid to these protests by President Cabrera. The British minister was thereupon charged with drawing up a note detailing the incidents of the trial which was characterized as a farce. This note is to be sent to the powers. The dispatch states that absolute chaos reigns in Guatemala.

Guatemala City, July 2.—Nothing further has been done in the cases of those found guilty of participation in the plot against the life of President Cabrera. Sentence, however, has been pronounced on another lot of minor political offenders, a number of whom have been condemned to from five to ten years in prison.

### VERY CURIOUS PROCEEDING

Mexican Junta Spirit Is, So It Seems, Abducted and Sent to Mexico.

Douglas, A. T., July 2.—Manuel Satabla, one of the leading spirits in the former St. Louis junta, who was known here as Sam Moret, was arrested and lodged in jail at the instance, it is said, of the Mexican government. Late at night an automobile occupied by two citizens of the United States was driven to the jail. The prisoner was delivered to them and was forcibly placed in the vehicle.

The automobile and its occupants were seen a little later passing through the streets, and several witnesses say that the prisoner was being choked into submission. This was the last seen of it, but there seems little doubt that Satabla was delivered to the Mexican authorities at Aguaprieta.

### DEVILISH DEED IS DONE

Sixteen-Year-Old Girl Waylaid by Brutes, Who Leave Her a Corpse.

Wausau, Wis., July 2.—Jennie Reble, daughter of John E. Reble, aged 16 years, was raped and murdered Sunday afternoon in a strip of woods along the road near her home. She was on her way from church at Stratford when attacked. Irvin Bartlett, of Nashville, and James Hackey, of Chicago, have been arrested on suspicion.

The girl's hands had been tied behind her and her clothes were torn to shreds. A rib on her left side had been broken. There were finger marks on her throat, and it was shown at an autopsy that the girl had been choked to death.

### Troubles of the Tuckers.

Chicago, July 2.—The story that Lieutenant Colonel Tucker, Mrs. John A. Logan's son-in-law, was too friendly with a fair compatriot on the Pacific coast and at Manila, is scorned by his friends, who declare that the lieutenant colonel was the woman's husband's dearest friend and had been given by the husband before he died a commission to watch over her. Nothing say Tucker's friends, that was not chivalric and gentlemanly can be laid at Tucker's door.

### Two Cents Goes In Illinois.

Chicago, July 2.—Railroad companies operating in Illinois will not combat the 2-cent fare law, which went into effect July 1. Tickets were placed on sale at all local offices under the new rate. The road hardest hit by the legislation is the Chicago and Alton. Its lines lie altogether in this state and in Missouri, where the reduced rate has been in effect for some time.

### Carnegie Gives \$45,000.

Cedar Rapids, Ia., July 2.—Coe college has completed a fund of \$280,000, including \$45,000 from Carnegie, for a scientific hall, and \$50,000 from the general education board for endowment.

### Another to Abandon Texas.

Newark, N. J., July 2.—The Prudential Insurance company has announced that following the example of a number of other life insurance companies it will withdraw from Texas.

### NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

The latest labor movement is among the trackmen on all the railways in the United States. It is proposed to organize them.

Four hundred St. Louis plumbers have gone on strike because refused an increase of wages from \$5 to \$6 a day.

The Woodmen of the World have erected a beautiful monument to the late Head Consul Falkenberg in a Denver cemetery, but his daughter refuses to allow his body to rest under the monument.

The Western Federation of Miners has adopted a full socialist programme, including political action.

A Cleveland dispatch says that those who have business with John D. Rockefeller will have no trouble finding him today, when he will arrive at Cleveland.

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### OAK RIDGE.

Oak Ridge, July 2.—We have had considerable wet weather here during the last week.

Joe Merritt and Clarence Huffman drove to Polo Saturday.

Blackburn & Hubbard, the popular liverymen of Dixon, purchased several tons of hay of John Young Monday.

Mrs. Hamilton returned to her home Sunday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Brooks, of Dixon.

James Warner was slightly stunned by the severe flashes of lightning last week. He was plowing corn and the lightning struck close by him.

Mr. Johnson of Dixon, manager of the Kimball Piano company, was on our streets Friday looking after the piano business.

Victor Bovey was testing the telephone service on our line Monday and making the needed repairs to several phones.

Mrs. Stella Young and daughters attended the social hop Thursday evening at Grand Detour.

James Sadler and Daniel Coy drove to Grand Detour last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Mumma visited Saturday and Sunday with Luther Cooper near Harmon.

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**The Force of Habit.**  
"Do I snore?" said the fat commercial drummer. "I should say so. That's why I can't use an alarm clock. I can't hear 'em. My snore drowns the best of 'em. And, speaking of the force of habit—I put up once at a crowded country hotel where I had to double up with an acquaintance. I told him I snored a few, but he didn't mind, he said, because his wife was a star in that line, and he had a 'system' to beat it."

"I'll just tap you on the shoulder every time you begin to snore," he explained. "That'll stop you without waking you, and after a little I'll drop off myself."

"It worked like a charm. I felt his taps for a time, but finally off I went on a dream of \$10,000 salary and 10 per cent commission. Well, sir, when I awoke in the morning there was that chap tapping away at my shoulder regular as clockwork, and he sound asleep. Been at it all night, don't you see? Force of habit."

And he beamed indulgently on the silent party.—New York Globe.

### The Bachelor Maid's Keys.

"Do I enjoy the freedom of a latch-key?" exclaimed the bachelor maid bitterly. "Look at that bunch!"—holding aloft a ring full of keys. "Fifteen, and I have to carry all of them all the time. This one is the key to the studio building, this to my own studio, this to my club, this to my hamper at the club, this to my desk, this to the secret drawer of the desk, this to a trunk, this to another, this to my letter box, this to my sewing machine—oh, yes, the woman who comes to clean my studio would do her annual sewing there if I didn't—this to my box in the safety deposit, this to the piano—to keep the woman from using it, of course—this—positively I forget what it is for, but I know I need it often. I'm simply worn out juggling around a wrist bag big enough to hold them all. I assure you, my dear, that if you ever hear I have committed matrimony you may tell all my friends I needed a man to carry my keys for me."—New York Sun.

### Greater Than the Nation.

There is a certain congressman who, whatever authority he may hold in the councils of state, is of comparatively minor importance in his own household. Indeed, it has been unkindly intimated that his wife is "the whole thing" in their establishment.

Representative and Mrs. Blank had been to Baltimore one afternoon. When they left the train at Washington on their return Mrs. Blank discovered that her umbrella, which had been entrusted to the care of her husband, was missing.

"Where's my umbrella?" she demanded.

"I'm afraid I've forgotten it, my dear," meekly answered the congressman. "It must still be in the train."

"In the train?" snorted the lady. "And to think that the affairs of the nation are entrusted to a man who doesn't know enough to take care of a woman's umbrella!"—Success.

### The Mystery of Death.

Oh, death, how bitter is the thought of thee! How speedy thy approach! How stealthy thy steps! How uncertain thy hour! How universal thy sway! The powerful cannot escape thee; the wise know not how to avoid thee; the strong have no strength to oppose thee; the rich cannot bribe thee with their treasure. Thou art a hammer that always strikes, a sword that is never dull, a net into which all fall, a prison into which all must enter, a sea on which all must venture, a penalty which all must suffer, a tribute which all must pay. Oh, death, death! Impalpable enemy to the human race! Why didst thou enter into the world?—Luis de Granada.

### Made Sure It Was Used.

An old farmer and his wife, noted for their niggardliness, had a custom of allowing the servant only one match to light the fire with each morning.

One morning the match failed to kindle, so the servant went to their bedroom door and asked for another one.

A whispered conversation was held between the two, then a dainty little maid said:

"Will you risk her wif' another one, John?"

"I doot we'll hae tae risk her, Janet," replied John, "but be sure no' seek a sight of the one she got last night."—Glasgow Times.

### One Ring and Another.

"I wonder when the ring first became connected with fighting?" said the follower of pugilism. "Oh," replied Henpeck, "I suppose it dates back to the beginning of the Christian religion." "What's that? What has pugilism to do with religion?" "Oh, I thought you were speaking of the wedding ring."—Philadelphia Press.

### The Doctor's Aim.

Some frivolous person has remarked that illness was like a struggle between two people and that the doctor resembled the third man, who intervened to separate them with a club. Sometimes he hit the disease on the head and sometimes the patient.—Hospital.

### Intermission.

He yelled at the top of his voice for two hours and then stopped.

"Well," said his mother, "are you going to be good? Have you finished crying?"

"No," said Tommy. "I have not finished; I'm only resting."

### Forming Business.

Coster (irritable through lack of trade)—Buy a box of cough lozenges, "ang yer! Bystander—I haven't got a cough. Coster—Well, fight me an' buy some stuff for black eyes.—London Tit-Bits.

## CELEBRATED CRANKS

Genius That Was Linked With the Manners of a Bear.

### A DINNER WITH DEAN SWIFT.

The Way the Whimsical Misanthrope Treated His Publisher—Carlyle and Tennyson as Growlers—Stories of Handel and Von Bulow.

Carlyle, in addition to his other troubles, was a great sufferer from dyspepsia. He was therefore anything but sympathetic in intercourse with his friends, anything but fair in his estimates of other writers.

Though Carlyle personally liked Tennyson, he spoke with impatience of his "cobbling his odes," dismissed Jane Austen's novels as "dishwashings," Hallam, the historian, as "dry as dust" and Goldsmith as an "Irish black-guard." Even the writers of editorials in the press were scored by the irritable sage of Chelsea. "What are these fellows doing?" he asked. "They only serve to cancel one another."

A characteristic incident illustrates Carlyle's disposition to inflict pain even on a friend. An artist who frequented the house of Carlyle painted a picture of him in his dressing gown smoking a pipe by the fireside and Mrs. Carlyle in an armchair sitting opposite him. The portrait was hung at one of the Royal academy's exhibitions and, though not a striking work of art, was purchased by Lord Ashburton, Carlyle's friend, for £500.

The delighted artist hurried off to the Carlyles, expecting congratulations on the sale and some manifestation of pleasure on their part at having such a value placed on a picture of themselves and their domestic interior. He delivered his glad tidings, but the only response he got from Carlyle was: "Well, mon, £500 was just £495 too much."

Browning one day left a copy of his new poems at Carlyle's house. In speaking of this action to Tennyson the next day Carlyle broke out with a savage snarl:

"What did that fellow mean by leaving that cart load of stones at my door?"

Tennyson himself, though not nearly so grumpy as the Chelsea sage, was yet considerably of a growler on occasion. Especially did this tendency on his part become manifest when he suspected a disposition on any side to lionize him.

It is related that at a dinner in London to which he had gone much against his will at the solicitation of a relative the poet laureate soon discovered that the company were expecting some pearl of thought from him. He glowered at the gathering in such a way as visibly to disconcert some of them. Then, as if purposely to utter the most unpoetical remark he could devise, with a grim smile he turned to his hostess—all the guests in absolute silence waiting the slightest word of genius—and growled out:

"Madam, I like my mutton cut in chunks—in chunks, madam, in chunks!"

Perhaps the greatest grinch of literature was Dean Swift, that whimsical misanthrope who evinced a morbid delight in humiliating his social inferiors because he himself when young had been outrageously affronted by his superiors.

Swift had acted as private secretary to Sir William Temple. Once when Sir William was confined to his bed with gout the king, William III., visited him, and Swift officiated as his majesty's guide through the gardens of Moor Park. The king taught the secretary how to cut asparagus in the Dutch way, and Swift had also the felicity of seeing him eat the vegetable.

Years afterward, when Swift was dean of St. Patrick's cathedral in Dublin, his publisher, Faulkner, called at the deanery on business connected with some proof sheets. Having been detained until near dinner time, he was pressed by the dean to dine with him. Asparagus was one of the vegetables, and the guest asked for a second helping.

"Sir," snapped Swift, pointing to Faulkner's plate, "first finish what you have upon your plate!"

"What, sir? Eat the stalks?" asked the astonished publisher.

"Aye, sir. Eat the stalks or you'll have no more! King William always ate his stalks," added the dean in his most imperious manner.

Whereupon the meek Faulkner, yielding to the dean's will, ate the stalks most submissively.

Shortly after the dean's death Faulkner was relating the incident as an illustration of Swift's insolence.

"And you were silly enough to obey him?" asked some one.

"Yes," replied Faulkner, "and let me add, sir, that if you had dined with Dean Swift you would have eaten your stalks too."

John Hunter, the famous English surgeon, was a man of great eccentricity and of most beastly manners. His wife, a witty and beautiful woman, was the friend of many distinguished persons of the time—the eighteenth century—her intimate friend being Mme. d'Arblay. The two were the moving spirits of a sprightly salon. But Hunter, whose mind was set on science to the exclusion of all else, gave scant approval to his wife's pursuits.

On returning home late one evening he unexpectedly found his drawing room filled with musical professors, connoisseurs and others whom Mrs. Hunter had assembled. Hunter was greatly irritated by the presence of these guests. Walking straight into the center of the room, he addressed the astonished company in this strain: "I knew nothing of the purpose to

hold such a kick-up. I should have been informed of it beforehand, but as I am now returned home to study I hope the present company will at once retire."

Which "the present company" at once proceeded to do.

Handel, the musician, possessed a great natural wit, which was frequently spiced by his rather caustic references to the merits of his fellow musicians.

When "The Messiah" was being performed in Dublin, Dubourg led the band and one evening had a finale to make ad libitum. Following the fashion, the violinist took his cadenza through various keys and continued the improvisation until the uneasy Handel began to wonder when he would really come to the "shaké" that was to terminate the part and bring in the other instruments. Eventually Dubourg finished the cadenza with a grand flourish, whereupon Handel, to the great distress of the leader, put his hands to his mouth and shouted across the hall:

"Welcome home, welcome home, Mr. Dubourg!"

On one occasion a perturbed singer had some warm words with Handel, who had been making some sarcastic references to his ability, and wound up by threatening to jump on the harpsichord that Handel played.

"Let me know when you will do it," retorted Handel, "and I will advertise it, for I am sure more peoples will come to see you jump than to hear you sing!"

It has been said that the frankness of another noted musician, Hans von Bulow, almost equaled that of Handel.

Bulow was accustomed at one time to meet a large class twice a year in Germany at which many members were listeners, while those who wished to play might send in their names to him. Sometimes Bulow chose those whom he preferred and sent out for them, while the rest waited in terror for their turn to come. This nervousness of anticipation was not without cause.

An awkward English girl one day went to the piano and, frightened at most out of her wits, managed to play her selection after a fashion.

"Acht!" roared Bulow. "You play the easy passages with a dignity that is simply enormous!"

Once in playing at a concert Bulow stopped abruptly and ordered the ushers to turn the piano around. His reason was asked, whereupon he replied that a woman in the audience annoyed him unpeppably by fanning herself out of time.

As far as the audience was concerned, Bulow always made a point of doing exactly as he pleased. On one occasion the orchestra he was conducting had just given a very long Brahms symphony, quite beyond the comprehension of any but the musicians among the listeners. When the audience failed to give Bulow the applause he expected he turned upon them furiously.

"What! You do not like it? I will teach you to like it!" and he led the entire composition played through again from beginning to end. Brahms was always applauded after that, if only in self defense.

But when a Leipzig audience insisted on recalling Bulow, despite his repeated refusals to play again, he came forward and said, "If you do not stop this applause I will play all Bach's forty-eight preludes and fugues from beginning to end!"—Edwin Tarrisse in St. Louis Republic.

### Embarrassing.

A famous scientist whose early home had been in a country district had long promised to visit the scenes of his boyhood and deliver a lecture in aid of the funds of one of the institutions of the place. At last he fulfilled his promise, and the lecture was given. When at the close of his lecture he was conversing with some of the principal promoters of the affair they warmly congratulated him on the facility with which he made rather technical matter interesting and clear to his uncultured audience.

"Oh," said he, by way of explanation, "I invariably fix my attention upon the member of my audience who strikes me as having the least intelligence, and I continue to explain any subject upon which I touch until I see by that person's expression that he understands it."

Almost directly afterward the leading public official of the little town came into the room and made his way to where the scientist was standing.

"Sir," he exclaimed, "you cannot possibly believe how much real pleasure you have given me tonight. It seemed to me all the time as if your eye was never away from me, that you spoke to me alone and that your whole wish was to make me understand every word you said."—Chicago Journal.

### "Dixie."

The original music which is most characteristically American is that of the colored brother. This is mostly melody and ragtime. Some of the leading songs are "The Swanee River," "Old Kentucky Home," "Dixie," "Old Black Joe" and others. It is told that Christine Nilson has said that when she found an American audience heavy on her hands she knew well that she could bring them out of the dumps by rendering "The Swanee River." For expression of the quick and alert American spirit nothing can be compared with the quick and ragtime action of "Dixie," and wherever, in the presence of an American audience, the band strikes up the tune, whether it be in Boston, New Orleans or Chicago, the hall resounds at once with responsive applause. "Dixie" is really our most popular national tune and comes near interpreting American spirit in peace and in war than any other. Then, too, it is originally and wholly American.—Greenville (S. C.) News.

### "Beyond the Alps."

A Kansas girl graduate who had been given the theme, "Beyond the Alps Lies Italy," promulgated the following: "I don't care a cent whether Italy lies beyond the Alps or in Missouri. I do not expect to set the river on fire with my future career. I am glad that I have a good education, but I am not going to misuse it by writing poetry or essays on the future woman. It will enable me to correct the grammar of any lover I may have should he speak of 'dorgs' in my presence or 'seen a man.' It will also come handy when I want to figure out how many pounds of soap a woman can get for three dozen eggs at the grocery. So I do not begrudge the time I spent in acquiring it. But my ambitions do not fly so high. I just want to marry a man who can lick anybody of his weight in the township, who can run an eighty acre farm and who has no female relatives to come around and try to boss the ranch. I will agree to cook dinners for him that won't send him to an early grave and lavish upon him a whole season's affection and to see that his razor has not been used to cut broom wire when he wants to shave. In view of all this I do not care if I get a little rusty on the rule of three and kindred things as the years go by."—Topeka Capital.

### Part of the Letter We Read.

"Did you ever think," said an old printer, "that we really notice only the upper halves of the letters? The lower halves are in many cases only the stems, the remainders of ornamental flourishes which have been gradually reduced in size and length and are now meaningless. Take, for instance, the heading of a paper. Cover up with a blank sheet the lower half of the letters, and even if you did not know what they were you would have no difficulty in reading the words. Now, reverse the process and cover the upper half, and if you did not know the words it would be impossible to make out the letters. This fact is even more plainly seen in the case of the Roman letters used for headlines. An L might be mistaken for an I, but nearly all the other letters are so plainly indicated by the shape of the upper half that the lines may be read without difficulty."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

### Dueling in Old Creole Days.

When dueling was an actual factor in the social order of this country, it had many worthy and notable exponents, including no less distinguished personages than Henry Clay, Andrew Jackson, Alexander Deatur and others of the same type, but nowhere on this continent was it so much an established institution as in that peculiarly romantic old city of New Orleans. It was woven into the very fabric of the life of the community, and many a crumbling tombstone in the antiquated creole cemeteries bears grim and silent witness to the fact, though to understand the situation more clearly one should breathe, so to speak, the atmosphere of the period.—Louis J. Meader in Century.

### A Fish Story.

The latest fish story concerns the herring and sea gull, and it comes from Nantam. A boat load of herring, containing about fifteen tons, was left at Johnston's wharf, Nantam, during the noon hour while the fishermen went to dinner. During their absence several thousand sea gulls—the chronicler says 10,000—ate all the fish on the side of the boat with such good results that they emptied it, and when the last herring had been removed from that side it was like the last straw that broke the camel's back, for the boat, with all the weight on the other side, upset, spilling all the remaining fish into the water.—Shanghai Mercury.

### Devoured by Jackals.

Foreign papers tell a story of a woman at Philippeville, in Algeria, who was sent by her baby's cradle on the veranda of her house when she was called within by her husband. Returning to the veranda after an absence of a few minutes, she found the cradle knocked over and the baby gone. Next day native shepherds discovered in the undergrowth of a wood the bones of a young child and a string of amber beads, which were immediately recognized by the mother as having been on her child's neck. "There is no doubt that the infant was carried off and devoured by jackals," a correspondent adds.

### What is an Orator?

The true orator is the man who can make people laugh, cry and feel what he says. In truth, the genuine orator is the man who has humor enough in his soul to bring the smile to the face, pathos enough in his heart to bring the tear to the eye and dignity enough in his bearing to persuade or move men. He is an exponent of the spoken word. He is a pilgrim moving toward the home of the ideal. He is the embodiment of earnestness, enthusiasm and eloquence.—Exchange.

### Politeness Travels Fast.

The pollen from pine forests often forms a yellow coating on lakes or on the ocean as far as 200 miles from the shore and has been mistaken by peasants for showers of sulphur. The pollen grains of the pine are provided with hollow vesicles, which buoy them up in the air very much on the principle of a box kite.—St. Nicholas.

### Purely Chance.

Knicker—Do you consider poker a game of chance? Bocker—Purely. Sometimes my wife finds it out, and then again she doesn't.—Harper's Bazar.

The fear of work is the card index to the catalogue of troubles.—Richmond Missourian.

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**PERSONAL NEWS.**

Horace Street went to Chicago on Monday.

Harry Coe visited friends in Sterling last evening.

Charles Ortigies is visiting with friends in Rockford.

Ralph Dixon has gone to Rockford for a visit with friends.

E. C. Smith has returned from a business visit in Chicago.

John Wahnke returned to his duties at Kenosha Monday.

Fred Gordon and wife spent Sunday with friends in Sterling.

F. A. Watson will be out from Chicago tomorrow by automobile.

Miss Hazel Erb of Rockford is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lou Rosbrook.

The Royal Neighbors will hold a very important meeting this evening.

Bert Williams of Ottawa was a visitor in this city on Monday afternoon.

R. L. Virgil of Amboy was a visitor with friends in Dixon Monday evening.

George Cassens of Sterling was a visitor in this city on Monday afternoon.

C. E. Windom of Sterling was in this city today transacting business.

George Wahnke of Kenosha is expected here to spend the Fourth with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Coffey have gone to Ashtabula, O., for a two months' visit.

Mrs. Herbert Eberle of Detroit is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gilbert.

Prof. L. W. Miller went to Mendota yesterday with advertising matter for the assembly.

Mrs. Charles Baker will be here Saturday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. W. W. Wynn.

Attorney E. L. Shaner returned last evening from a business trip to Dubuque and Milwaukee.

R. L. Tumeys came out from Chicago last evening for a short visit with friends and relatives in this city.

A number of Dixon young people will go to Rock Falls this evening to attend the street fair being held at that place.

Miss Sue Harnish returned from Sterling this morning, where she had gone several days ago to visit relatives and friends.

Charley Throop of Grand Detour left Monday on a commercial trip. Mr. Throop has traveled for the same firm for twenty-five years.

Attorney E. E. Wingert returned Monday evening from Ottawa where he had been several days on business before the appellate court.

Dr. and Mrs. Schuyler and two children, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Lee for several days, have returned to their home in DeKalb.

C. P. Herrick was down from Polo Monday afternoon. He made the trip in his handsome new White steam touring car, which he recently purchased.

Tannus Brothers' store was closed today on account of the death of Toma Ferris Tannus at Bloomington. The store will open again at six o'clock this evening.

Frank E. Howard left this afternoon for Cedarville, Kas., after a month's visit here with friends and relatives. Mr. Howard was formerly a citizen of South Dixon township, residing near Eldena.

S. E. Johnson sold to Clinton Judd six lots in the Johnson & Avery addition. The purchase price was \$300 a lot. This is one of the most desirable building spots near the city.

Miss Edith Ives of Byron is visiting her brother, Dr. C. H. Ives, and wife. The doctor's mother, Mrs. L. N. Ives, who has been here for three weeks, returned to her home in Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. Weatherly, who came last week for a visit with Mrs. Weatherly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers, returned to Chicago Sunday here and today Mr. and Mrs. Myers and Monday Mr. and Mrs. Myers, Cassie Wilson and Miss Ella Kentner took a trip to Chicago in the machine.

**The Man With Forty Ghosts.**

A popular novelist talked with regret about the old ghost habit of the past.

"Famous painters first and famous writers afterward alike had ghosts," he said. "These ghosts were pupils, disciples. They did the basic work of the master's picture or novel, and the master polished up, put on the finishing touches and signed his name to it. This practice, indeed, still obtains in architecture. It was a practice that allowed a popular artist a manifold increase of production and consequently of income. Dumas, the elder Dumas, had no less than forty ghosts—forty intelligent young men writing away for him about D'Artagnan, Fortos, Arands and the rest. But Dumas was reckless, and the existence of his forty ghosts became known, hence a good deal of scandal. At the height of this scandal Dumas said to a lady one night:

"Have you read my last book, madame?"

"The lady, with a mischievous smile, replied:

"No, M. Dumas. Have you?"

**He Felt Complimented.**

A man from Philadelphia, says a writer in the Ledger of that city, was visiting in a town of very few inhabitants. One day when he was about to make a purchase he discovered that he had exhausted his small change. The shopkeeper could not break the ten dollar bill offered him, and the man went out in the main street to see how he might solve the difficulty. He asked several persons, but no one had the requisite amount for the bill. At last an old white haired, seedy negro came along. In sheer desperation the man said:

"Uncle, can you change a ten dollar bill for me?"

"Uncle" looked dazed for a moment, then his shuffling figure straightened. With a doffing of the hat and a bow worthy of Chesterfield he replied, with dignity:

"No, marse, I can't change no ten dollar bill, but I done 'precates the compliment jes' the same, sah."

**Birds That Boat In Their Nests.**

"The mother bird sat on her eggs at the water's edge, and when I approached she pushed off with her foot as though the nest had been a boat, and away she floated calmly down the stream."

"What you saw was a rare spectacle," said the nature student. "The bird was a grebe, the columbus minor. She always builds on the water's edge, and her nest is always woven of aquatic plants so closely and firmly that it will float herself and her eggs without leaking. On the approach of danger the bird pushes off. Nor is she at the current's mercy during her voyage. She uses her foot as a paddle, and I have seen her steer her boat-nest with some little dexterity round a bend, landing in a quiet cove as well, say, as the average young lady waterman."

**Fresh Sheets at Premium.**

The woman who had just returned from abroad, where she had visited some country towns, was telling of the comforts and discomforts of the European country hotel. "They have an aversion to putting fresh sheets on the beds for every new guest," she said, "and we always pulled down the bedclothes the minute we were assigned our rooms to examine the sheets. Ten chances to one they were wrinkled and had that 'slept in' appearance, and we invariably insisted on fresh ones. Finally we struck a series of towns where the hotel proprietors got the best of us, for the sheeting they used was a sort of crepe stuff, something like seersucker, and for the life of you you couldn't tell whether they'd been slept on or not."—New York Press.

**Hardened by Sulphuric Acid.**

Hardening an ordinary drill in sulphuric acid, states the English Mechanic, makes an edge that will cut tempered steel or facilitate cutting hard rock. The acid should be poured into a flat bottomed vessel to a depth of about one-eighth of an inch. The point of the drill is heated to a dull cherry red and dipped in the acid to that depth. This makes the point extremely hard, while the remainder remains soft. If the point breaks, re-harden, but with a little less acid in the vessel.

Mrs. T. H. Denny and daughter Anna went to Chicago this morning to spend a couple of weeks visiting friends and relatives.

F. K. Tribou went to Rockford on Monday afternoon to complete arrangements for the burial of Charles O. Upton, who will be interred there tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore returned last evening from their wedding trip and will spend a few days with the bride's mother, Mrs. Smice, before going to their home in Sterling.

A. J. Brubaker has returned home after spending a few weeks with his sisters in Polo and Freeport. He is going to Chicago to visit his city friends and may possibly go to Green Bay, Wis., before returning to this city.

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